

MIDNIGHT POSTMORTEM

BODY OF DR. ROBERTS
WAS TAKEN FROM GRAVEImproper Operation was Alleged by
Friends and Relatives

LIKELY WILL NOT SUE HOSPITAL

Physicians Who Held Autopsy Claimed Death of State
Veterinarian was Due to Peritonitis, but Sur-
geon Says it was Intestinal Paralysis

Returning to the Mound cemetery, Racine, at midnight, after the mourners had departed, relatives and the pallbearers of the late Dr. E. D. Roberts of Janesville, state veterinarian, exhumed the body, secreted it in a vault where a secret autopsy was held by three leading Racine physicians who made a written statement that death was due to peritonitis, due, presumably to unclean surgical instruments, improper incision or improper care. Dr. Roberts died after an operation at the Lakeside hospital, Chicago, for a rupture sustained while examining horses.

Robert Robinson of La Crosse, was one of the pallbearers at the funeral of Dr. Roberts. When the body reached Racine it was placed in the grave, but when the mourners had gone, the coffin was taken from the grave in order that an autopsy might be performed.

Dr. David Roberts of Waukesha, a brother of the state veterinarian, was present. Mr. Robertson says the autopsy was performed with the consent of Mrs. E. D. Roberts, the widow.

No Suit Likely

While there seems to have been talk of a suit against the Chicago hospital Mr. Robertson of this city is confident that no such action is contemplated, and that if any proceedings were started at all it would be in the nature of a criminal prosecution.

However, dispatches today indicate that Dr. David Roberts, brother of the late veterinarian, is satisfied after visiting the Chicago hospital and will let the matter drop.

Mrs. Roberts Gave Consent
RACINE, Wis., Aug. 23.—Mrs. E. D. Roberts, widow of State Veterinarian Roberts, when seen at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. G. Gittings, confirmed the report that an autopsy had been performed on the body of Dr. Roberts with her consent.

When the body of Dr. Roberts reached this city at 8 o'clock in the evening, it was taken to Mound cemetery, a mile west of the city. The funeral services were read by the light of a lantern held by Governor James O. Davidson, who acted as a pallbearer.

The casket was lowered into the grave in the family lot, but when the

funeral party, consisting of over 100 friends and relatives of Dr. Roberts, left the cemetery, the body was taken from the grave.

Father Desired Autopsy

This had been arranged in accordance with the wishes of J. M. Roberts and Dr. David Roberts, father and brother, respectively, of Dr. Roberts. The casket was deposited in the vault, and three physicians of this city performed an autopsy. The casket was placed in the grave early the next morning.

Mrs. Roberts said that while she had given her consent, she knew of no action that had been taken in regard to a suit. If any action is taken, it will be through the other relatives of Dr. Roberts, she said.

Brother Investigates

JANESVILLE, Wis., Aug. 23.—Dr. David Roberts of Waukesha, brother of Dr. E. D. Roberts, state veterinarian, who died several weeks ago in Lakeside hospital, Chicago, following an operation, left Janesville for Chicago yesterday to investigate the circumstances surrounding the death of his brother. Grant U. Fischer of this city, a close friend of the late Dr. Roberts, accompanied him. Startling facts, it is alleged, have been unearthed which may result in a suit against the hospital.

Death Followed Operation

Dr. E. D. Roberts sustained a rupture some time ago while examining horses in his official capacity. He insisted upon an immediate operation. Twenty-four hours after the operation he died.

The body was examined by three Racine physicians. Dr. E. H. Dudley of this city says he has seen the signed statement of the Racine physicians. Upon the findings of the Racine doctors Dr. David Roberts of Waukesha, with the aid of Grand U. Fischer, is now making an investigation in Chicago.

Dr. Roberts Given Good Care

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—When told of a threatened suit against the Lakeside hospital, Dr. Movius, the physician in charge, declared any action on the part of friends of Dr. Roberts, the late Wisconsin veterinarian, to collect damages from the institution, was unwarranted.

(Continued on page 4.)

COOL BREEZES GREET LA CROSSE PEOPLE AND
FURNISH COUNTRY RELIEF FROM HUMIDITYTerrific Rains Follow Hot Wave in Many Parts of the
Country; Floods in Kansas Bare
Corpses in a Cemetery

When people arose this morning they were greeted by cool, refreshing breezes. The forecast of "cooler" had come to pass and the weather man's reputation was saved. The highest temperature today was only 74, as compared with 93 on Tuesday. The oppressiveness had left the atmosphere and the air was cool and refreshing.

The cool weather, it is promised, will continue with showers. The showers, however, are said to be spoiling the bass fishing.

Chicago Cooler

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—The

blasting heat continued this morning. Five deaths and many prostrations were reported to the police at 10 a. m.

The city was relieved by a north wind and rains and is cooler this afternoon.

Washes Up Bodies

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 23.—The greatest rainfall ever recorded fell here this morning. Trains were blocked and Seventeenth street was six feet deep in water. Citizens in a number of instances, narrowly escaped drowning.

This morning's floods washed from Elmwood cemetery between 100 and 200 corpses.

WON'T REFUSE "SYSTEM" STEAL

Roosevelt, "Of Course" will
Have to Bow to Call
of His Party

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The impression prevails in this country that Roosevelt will run again. The Times says indications are that the republicans will be forced to nominate him to successfully combat Bryan.

While Roosevelt does not intend to allow the use of his name he can hardly refuse the nomination.

FRISCO SENDS AID
TO CHILI VICTIMS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—The minister to Chili this morning cables he has presented the president of Chili with \$10,000, the gift of San Francisco people.

VALPARAISO, Aug. 23.—Some business houses resumed today. Wire communication with Santiago was restored and government officials will exclusively use the lines.

Martial law prevails. The government appropriated \$4,000,000 for relief of the destitute. A company is to be organized to raise money to rebuild.

There is trouble burying the dead as the cemeteries were destroyed. All persons are required to cease moving about at 6 in the evening. All after that are shot as marauders.

Great sheds have been erected to shelter the homeless from the terrific rains.

The governor of the state of Valparaiso today issued a proclamation saying there will be plenty of food and medicines and that there will be much shelter. He warned the people that the authorities are fully able to control disorders and that there will be no lawlessness permitted.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

LA PORTE, Ind., Aug. 23.—Joe Cannon has bought nearly five hundred acres of land near here and it is thought he is buying more.

RECOVERING FROM SCALDS

Margaret, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pryor, who was quite seriously scalded Monday, is getting along nicely.

Tom Lawson Says Monster
Was Behind Millions
of Cash Stolen

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 23.—Thomas W. Lawson, in an open letter, comments on the Harriman coup in Pacific stocks.

He says the public was deceived and declares that but for the thievish workings of the "system" the great profits would have gone back to the public in decreased rates.

NAVAL REVIEW COST
\$609 INSTEAD OF
A MILLION

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—The naval review at Oyster Bay, instead of costing a million dollars as charged, cost just \$609 above the expense of maintaining the fleet one day, which expenses have to be borne whether at review or not.

The extra \$609 was for saluting, which was done with black powder, condemned for every other purpose.

SURPRISED AT GROWTH
OF HIS OLD HOME

William Place, brother of Mrs. C. L. Colman, who has been absent from La Crosse for the past seventeen years is in the city renewing old acquaintances. In speaking of the rapid growth and change in La Crosse Mr. Place said:

"I was surprised at the growth of my old home town in seventeen years. To tell the truth, I would not know La Crosse if placed here and not told the name of the city."

Mr. Place is now engaged in the lumber business in Tacoma, Wash.

JOE CANNON BUYS LAND

A deed was filed today showing the transfer of property on Rose street from Herbert Lowjoy to the late W. E. Potter, consideration \$1,500.

W. F. Wolfe has transferred to Adolph Siebrecht a lot on the corner of Fourteenth and Jackson streets for a consideration of \$475.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Forseth are the happy parents of a nine-pound baby girl.

TWO OLD
SETTLERS
TO LEAVEE. N. Borresen and
Wife go West

HAS BEEN LEADING BANKER

Well Known Citizens Will
Make Their Home in
California

E. N. Borresen, cashier of the Security Savings bank, one of the pioneers of La Crosse, and one of its leading bankers, will leave with his wife soon for California, where they will make their home. Mr. Borresen has been a resident of La Crosse for thirty-eight years and is one of the city's best known and most highly esteemed citizens.

Mr. Borresen came to La Crosse in July of 1868, where he has resided continuously until the present with the exception of a year and a half's residence in California from December to June, 1900. From August, 1868 to Sept. 1, 1870, he clerked in T. D. Service's clothing store and from Sept. 1, 1870, to July 5, 1870, was bookkeeper in the Batavian bank. On July 7, 1870, Mr. Borresen, together with John M. Holley, commenced a banking business in the store now occupied by the Adams express office, under the firm name of Holley & Borresen. Four years later, together with several other gentlemen, they organized the State bank of La Crosse, where Mr. Borresen was vice president, and with Mr. Holley in the active management of the institution. In December, 1898, he severed his connection with the State bank and followed his wife to California, where she had gone one year before on account of her health. In the summer of 1900 he returned to La Crosse with a California return trip ticket in his pocket, intending to stay here only a few weeks, when parties interested in the Security Savings bank, and he became cashier of that institution, which position he leaves to go to California.

Mr. Borresen's departure will be regretted, as he has been strongly identified with the financial affairs of the city for more than a quarter of a century and has been interested in many of the enterprises by which La Crosse has been made a city.

Mrs. Borresen, his wife, was born in Watertown, Wis., and has lived in La Crosse for the last twenty years.

COMMISSIONERS MUST GET
IMPRESSION SEAL FOR
ALL DOCUMENTS

Attorney General Sturdevant has notified all United States commissioners to provide themselves with an official impression seal to be placed on all certificates of official acts.

This is in accordance with an act recently passed by congress.

WEATHER & WATER

• Showers tonight and probably
• Friday; cooler tonight.
• Coolest, 68; warmest, 74.
• The river will remain about
• stationary.
• Stage of water 5.3, a rise of 1.

HONEST, DESERVING; WHY
DAVIDSON SHOULD GET ITREVOLUTIONARY
CHIEF KILLEDGeneral Banderas Surprised
and Slain in Hand-to-
hand Combat

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

HAVANA, Aug. 23.—Gen. Banderas, a negro insurgent, was killed this morning in a fight with rurales between Mariano and Hoyo Colorado. His body is fully identified.

The fight occurred at 3 o'clock this morning. Banderas pitched camp and stationed guards. He thought he had eluded pursuit. Two of his followers were killed, but none were captured. Banderas was captured by rurales under Capt. Delgado in a hand to hand fight. The dead were hacked by machetes. None of the government troops were hurt.

JOHN ALYWARD TO
SPEAK IN CITY

John A. Alyward, democratic candidate for governor, will speak here Aug. 31.

This will be the first appearance in La Crosse of a democratic candidate for state office, and it is expected that much interest will attach to the appearance here of Mr. Alyward, who has been exceptionally active in the framing of the state democratic platform and the welfare of his party.

CHAS. CHAMBER-
LAIN IS BETTER

Charles H. Chamberlain, grand councillor of the Wisconsin United Commercial Travelers, who recently sustained a stroke of paralysis, is rapidly recovering. He slept well last night and sat up for a couple of hours. He is resting upon a couch today and has considerable feeling in his paralyzed arm. It is believed a couple of days will develop completely the outcome of his case and friends are confident he will soon be out again.

WITHEE SELLS FARM
PROPERTY AN AUCTION

One of the largest auction sales of farm stock ever held in Wisconsin took place at the large farm of W. W. Withee at Longwood, Wis., last Tuesday.

Mr. Withee sold all of his livestock excepting his fancy herd of Pale Angus cattle, together with all of his farm machinery.

The sale was well attended and the bidding was lively, there being quite a number of farmers from different sections of Wisconsin who are interested in stock raising.

It was estimated that there were fully seven hundred farmers in attendance.

The sale started at 10 o'clock and was rushed through as lively as possible and the sun had gone down the last article was knocked off to the best bidder.

Mr. Withee will discontinue carrying on his farms as heretofore, but will rent them out, as his other business interests require his entire time.

Gilman Argues for
His Candidacy

HE IS LOGICAL CANDIDATE

And Should Get Credit for
Railroad Legislation
as well as "Bob"

Former Assemblyman C. W. Gilman of Mondovi last night addressed what might be termed a hot weather audience at Empire rink, in the interests of the candidacy of Governor James O. Davidson for the renomination. There were about 200 present at the opening of the speech, but a plague of crickets and the unendurable heat thinned the number considerably before its conclusion.

Mr. Gilman was introduced by Attorney E. C. Higbee. In his opening address Mr. Higbee gave two reasons for his refusal to support Speaker Irvine Lenroot for the gubernatorial nomination. He said it had been pointed out that a lawyer was the man for the nomination, but he denied that Lenroot was a lawyer, terming him a clerk of an inferior court in the city of Superior, who had tried no cases. His second reason, he said, for failure to support Lenroot was his fear that if elected Mr. La Follette's choice would be dominated by a "clique."

Mr. Gilman paid many high compliments to the character and ability of Governor Davidson, laying stress upon his unswerving devotion to the people, his honesty and the logic of his candidacy.

The speaker said that we have had a hard fight to gain primary election and now that we have it we should take advantage of its purpose and vote as we think, and not as someone says.

"If somebody tells you not to vote for Richard Roe for treasurer because he is dishonest," said the speaker, "that is a reason which should be investigated before you cast your ballot. But, on the other hand, if someone tells you to vote for John Doe for governor because he is a better lawyer, because he is a stronger man, etc., don't do it. Those are the methods of the old political boss."

"I know both Lenroot and Davidson and I have no word of criticism for either. I have worked with them and know them intimately and both are honorable and upright men, but in my opinion Davidson should be nominated, because he is the logical candidate."

The speaker then took up the subject of taxation and followed the struggle of the people against the "chosen few" through the ages since the world began. He said the same thing which caused the Revolutionary war—unjust taxation—was what is agitating the state of Wisconsin today. He took up the railroad problems and said that in times of prosperity the people were inclined to let injustices practiced upon them by these corporations slide by, and that it was only in times of financial oppression that agitation for reforms came on. He said then leaders were sought to make the fight against this oppression, and that Davidson was the leader the people were seeking.

The speaker said that Davidson came over from Norway a poor boy, but that he was honest and that the people knew and trusted "Honest Jim" Davidson. He held many offices of trust in Crawford county and was then sent to the assembly, "just at the time when the people were looking for a leader." Then A. R. Hall of Dunn county came in 1891.

(Continued on page 6.)

SPORTING EXTRA

Innings.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Final

La Crosse . . . 1 2 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 —6

Eau Claire . . . 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 —2

BATTERIES: La Crosse—Bubser and Kilian. Eau Claire—Fiske and Long. Umpire—Pickett.

PACKET SIDNEY LOSES IN OLD FASHIONED BOAT RACE

Reports of a lively boat race down the river the other day have been received in La Crosse. The Diamond Jo steamer Sidney, the Silver Crescent and the David Swain were the contestants.

The Sidney left Quincy fifteen minutes ahead of the David Swain and the Silver Crescent.

The Swain, one of the speediest boats on the entire river, easily out-distanced both. The Silver Crescent caught up with the Sidney five miles below Warsaw, Ill., as the larger boat had not been put to its best and had made a longer stop at Canton than the Crescent.

When the bows of the two boats were even the officers' pride in their respective boats burst out and the race was on. The stokers on each worked their best. Once the safety valve on the Sidney opened, leaving out clouds of steam. The boiler doors were opened by the stokers to lower the pressure, but the order was given to again crowd on all they were worth.

The boats sped along, throwing the spray high before their bows. At times the Crescent would have the length of her front deck ahead of her big competitor. Then the Sidney would slowly crop ahead of the other and gain a lead of a few feet. The Sidney had the outside of the channel and was able to force the Crescent to the longer side of the curves. Warsaw appeared in sight and the boats headed for the landing, maintaining full speed as long as they dared. The Sidney hit the bank with a bump, and

fifteen seconds later the Crescent's bow scraped up the gravel, as her big gang plank dropped. The big boat had won into Warsaw.

Both hurriedly unloaded their freight and both drew up their gang planks together. Now the Crescent had an advantage of position over the Diamond Jo craft. She was on the up-stream side. The Sidney had to back far down stream below her. The smaller craft felt the influence of her wheel soon while the big hull needed more time to obtain any headway after her backing. When both were under full speed ahead the Crescent had a lead of three lengths. From Warsaw to Keokuk, a distance of four miles, she slowly broadened the intervening distance, the Sidney not working as she had below Warsaw, knowing that at her best she had been able only to very slightly exceed the small vessel. The Crescent pulled into Keokuk five lengths ahead of the Sidney.

Much marveling is heard among the people along the line of the Quincy-Keokuk trade about the new David Swain, which passed Rock Island ten days ago. She has been placed in the trade as a competitor of the Silver Crescent and can make the distance of about forty miles in two hours less time than the older boat. She is fitted with compound condensing, oscillating engines of high power. Unlike the ordinary side-wheelers' engines, two are placed at each wheel, and they keep them turning at a steady, high pace, instead of the unequal rate given when one engine is used. The boat has been in the trade one week.

TAMMANY IS KNOCKING JEROME AND BOOSTING HEARST

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall, yesterday said he had not observed any sentiment in Tammany for the nomination of District Attorney William Travers Jerome for governor by the democratic state convention, but there was, he said, plenty of sentiment for W. R. Hearst.

Murphy declared he was not committed to any candidate. It was the rule of Tammany, he said, to be guided by the sentiment of the organization, and he would be guided by it at the state convention.

Murphy said the Tammany delegates to the convention would be bound by the unit rule.

District Attorney Jerome tonight gave out the following statement: "It is no surprise to me to find Murphy practically declaring for Hearst. The only reason for my taking an active part in politics this year is to carry on the fight of last year, which was a fight to free the people and the parties from the domination of just such political panhandlers.

"Birds of a feather flock together." And when a person intellectually sterile, socially vulgar, and morally obnoxious insults the decent people of the

state, irrespective of party, by seeking the nomination of a political party by advancing dollars and not ideas, and by methods akin to those of the blackmailer, no thinking man could doubt where Murphy could be found. "I should fear I had lost all my ideas if I found men of this type supporting me, except under absolute compulsion. If I ever come to have any influence in the democratic party it will be used to drive out of it base bosses of this type.

"Both the democratic and republican parties have long enough been disgraced and dominated by men of this type controlling party organization.

"Party organization was created originally to render effective the will of the people. "The servant has become the master. The executive machinery, controlled by small groups of selfish and unusually corrupt men, has been used to deprive the people of the parties of their political freedom.

"The fight is not to destroy parties. Parties are essential to the proper working of our political institutions. The fight is to free the parties from just such men as Murphy—to deprive them of their control of the executive machinery, to restore it to the discharge of the functions for which it was created, the effective expression of the will of the people who compose the party.

"When this is done we shall have leaders and not bosses. We shall then have conventions of real delegates, seeking to determine whom the people want placed in nomination. We shall have candidates and public officers in whose choice the people's voice has been potent, who will feel that their responsibility is to the people and not to some political boss who created them."

IT IS COSTLY TO SELL SHORT WEIGHT

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—Ice men must pay \$1 for every pound of weight they fail to give their customers. Justice Smalley fixed this penalty for the short-weight ice men yesterday in fine C. P. Swanson, 6441 Cottage Grove avenue, \$15 for selling 85 pounds of ice for 100 pounds.

"It will cost you \$1 a pound," Justice Smalley declared, as he imposed the fine. For every pound that an ice man is short he should pay \$1."

Swanson was arrested while delivering ice to 6930 Perry avenue. Justice Fitzgerald thinks that the ice men should pay more for their dishonesty and fined Henry Surgis, 4721 Laflin street, \$25 for selling sixty pounds for seventy-five pounds of ice.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Results Are What Count

You always get the result the doctor anticipates when you have your prescriptions filled at

ERHARTS

Our Laboratory and Prescription Department products are absolutely correct—carefully made from the purest of fresh drugs.

ERHART'S Red Cross Drug Stores.

Three Die in Dakota Fire

LARIMORE, N. D., Aug. 23.—Two Minnesota men lost their lives and a negro is supposed to have been killed this morning in a fire that destroyed the largest livery establishment in the city, owned by Thomas Kelly. The victims of the blaze were Harry Krause of Bemidji and his traveling companion, Andrew Anderson. Jas. Hogge, colored, is missing. The origin of the fire is not known.

Flames were discovered bursting through the front of the barn at about 2 o'clock this morning, and a few minutes later the entire structure was a mass of flames. The blaze spread to J. W. Smith's blacksmith and machine shop, which was destroyed with its contents. In the livery barn were thirty-one head of horses, some of them of more than ordinary value. Two automobiles, one of them costing \$6,000, and two surreys, one omnibus, seven single buggies, two pole buggies and one phaeton were burned.

Concerning the men who were burned very little is known. Krause and Anderson came to the barn last night with their team, saying that they were in search of work in the harvest fields. This is the last seen of them. Krause is a married man and his wife and brother live at Bemidji, Minn.

The bodies have been taken out of the ruins and further search is being made for the remains of Hogge, the negro, who usually slept in the barn.

The coroner and state's attorney are both here and a thorough investigation is being made. The origin of the fire is a complete mystery.

Thomas Kelly's loss is estimated to be \$8,000; insurance, \$1,000. Loss to others, \$8,000; insurance \$3,000.

FIGHT THE AMALGAMATION

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 23.—A plan for the amalgamation of the Associated Fraternities of America, which opened its convention in this city yesterday, and the National Fraternal congress was presented to the former body at opening session yesterday. No vote was taken on the question, but it is said among the delegates that there will be considerable opposition to it.

The plan of amalgamation provides for a union of the two organizations with their 5,000,000 members under the name of the International Fraternal congress.



All Kinds of INSURANCE Especially FIRE, LIABILITY, PLATE GLASS, ACCIDENT, BOND AND LIFE INSURANCE.

C. S. VAN AUKEN, 328 Pearl St. La Crosse, Wis. Old Phone 75. New Phone 740.

STALWARTS UP TO OLD TRICKS SAYS LA FOLLETTE

RICE LAKE, Wis., Aug. 23.—Delightfully cool weather and cordial audiences restored Senator La Follette to his accustomed vigor, and he made ringing speeches yesterday at Cumberland and Rice Lake in the always doubtful county of Barron. The senator's voice was in better condition than it has been since the present tour began, and a fairly good night's sleep, about four hours, put him in fine fettle for the day's work.

Mr. La Follette charged that his old-time enemies had sought to undermine the strength and enthusiasm of the reform movement by supporting and working for the weaker candidate in the present campaign. He said that the old organization and its organs throughout the state were following a course of silence or seeming fairness that boded ill for the state of Wisconsin. He said the stalwarts had preserved the same mask of apparent acquiescence to the wishes of the people in years gone by when subsequent events proved that they had simply used that mask to cover their treachery.

100,000,000 SYNDICATE TO DEAN IN UNION PACIFIC

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Plans for the formation of a syndicate to take over the Great Northern and Northern Pacific stock held by the Union Pacific, which were proposed several months ago, again have been taken under consideration. In circles usually well informed concerning Union Pacific affairs it is said the formation of such a syndicate is in contemplation, although details have not been fully determined.

The Union Pacific at the date of its last annual report held \$18,665,259, par value, of Great Northern preferred stock, \$24,295,152 of Northern Pacific, and \$12,850,000 of the stock of the Northern Securities company, which since has been exchanged for a proportional share of Great Northern and Northern Pacific.

These holdings represented only part of the stocks of these two roads in the course of the dissolution of the Northern Securities company. A large amount was old prior to the date of the last annual report, it is understood. Union Pacific's holdings of these stocks have been further reduced since then.

At the present prices for Northern Pacific and Great Northern it would take more than \$54,000,000 to purchase the Great Northern stock held by the Union Pacific at the date of the last annual report and more than \$51,000,000 to acquire its Northern Pacific holdings. Any syndicate formed to purchase these stocks would need therefore more than \$100,000,000.

It was reported in the financial district today that the Northern Pacific management has in contemplation an issue of stock amounting to about \$30,000,000, so Union Pacific, unless it disposes of its Northern Pacific holdings before the new stock is issued, may in the near future have occasion to increase its holdings in Northern Pacific.

FALLS INTO DEEP WELL; UNHURT

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Gertrude Reynolds of Bloomfield, N. J., was standing on a bench adjusting the chain attached to the bucket of a well when she leaned forward too far, the bench slipped from under her, and she was precipitated head foremost down the well, which is sixty feet deep and has ten feet of water. Nellie Cullen saw her fall and called two men, who threw one end of a rope down the well. The woman caught it and the men lowered a ladder into the well. Near the bottom two of the rungs broke and the two men were thrown into the water. They finally managed to get the woman to the top. She was uninjured.

M'CALEB'S SIGNS Look Best and Wear Longest.



This Great Copper Kettle gleams like burnished gold, and is a perpetual source of admiration to the thousands of visitors who annually throng our plant. It, together with every other utensil, vats, etc., used in brewing and fermenting

Gund's Peerless Beer

is scrupulously scoured every day, because absolute chemical cleanliness in every process is essential to the production of a perfect and wholesome malt beer. Furthermore eminent physicians declare that the proportion of alcohol in Peerless (about 3 1/2%) is the right amount for gently stimulating the gastric fluids in the assimilation of solid food. Peerless has been brewed from choice hops and malt by the Gund Natural Process (exclusive) for over 50 years. Won Gold Medal at St. Louis, 1904; Diploma and Medal at Paris, 1900. Bottled at the brewery only. Sold at all good hotels, buffets, clubs, restaurants, dining cars, etc. Delivered in cases at private homes. Try a case! Telephone, write or call.

JOHN GUND BREWING COMPANY - - - La Crosse, Wis.

Seek Value of State Property

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 23.—From many points in the state, the agents of the Wisconsin state tax commission, some fifteen in number, are returning to Madison, carrying with them data which the state commission will use in making its assessment of all property in the state.

The state tax commission has this work now well advanced, and a completion of its task is looked for before the end of September.

Prof. Thomas E. Adams of the university is in charge of the work of investigation which the tax commission has been carrying on for the last two years. He has a suite of offices in North hall, and a half dozen clerks are busy compiling the data brought in by the field men.

Wisconsin is the only state that thus far has made an attempt to ascertain, accurately and completely, the true value of the real property of the state. Kentucky has made similar efforts, but has not developed the work to the extent that has been the case in Wisconsin.

The figures sent in by registers of deeds are not accepted as correct by the commission in those counties in which Mr. Adams' men have been working. The consideration cited in the filed document is often inaccurate and misleading. Not infrequently the consideration is stated as \$1 when a valuable piece of property has been sold. Property is assigned by men to their wives for a purely nominal consideration. Trades are made affecting the consideration materially, which do not appear in the documents filed at the register of deed's office. These facts make the filed figures unreliable.

The men under Prof. Adams' direction make an attempt to find out the real selling price of each piece of property recorded. The true value must be ascertained.

FREE SPITTER IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—Dr. Edwin S. Antisdale, an oculist and specialist in ear diseases, with offices at 103 State street, caused the arrest of R. H. Mitchell just to teach him a lesson in decency and to impress upon him the impropriety of spitting on the floor of a street car. After listening to the testimony of complainant defendant and witnesses Justice Caverly held that the evidence was insufficient and discharged the prisoner. A charge of disorderly conduct is pending against Dr. Antisdale and will be called for hearing before Justice Everett this afternoon.

"I saw him spit twenty times if not more and when I told him to stop it, he swore and told me to turn my face the other way. Then he got off the car and I followed him until I found a policeman who arrested him," said the oculist.

Mitchell denied the charges and as the conductor and motorman of the car were unable to testify to having seen him expectorate on the floor of the car the justice discharged him. "A pool had collected on the floor

where he was spitting tobacco juice," Dr. Antisdale said. "I watched him from the time he boarded the car at Forty-third street and Indiana avenue and, saw him spit at least twenty times.

"I asked him to stop and he said: 'Turn your face the other way if you don't like it.'

"If you will spit on the street it won't matter," I replied. "If you will get off the car I'll knock your head off," he said.

"When he left the car at Van Buren street I followed him until I met Policeman Hutchinson. He agreed to go with the policeman and myself, but he said: 'All I will have to do is to show my card to any police inspector and I will be free.' I was told at the time that I could make another complaint, one for intoxication, against him. I only tried to teach him a lesson for his repeated violations of the law. It is a miscarriage of justice when a man can flagrantly violate the law twenty or more times without being taught to do better in the future."

Mitchell is 32 years old and his occupation is given as a real estate dealer. He is a brother of Minnie Mitchell, who was killed four years ago by William Bartholin, who also murdered his mother and buried her body under the house at 4310 Calumet avenue.

SLUG MAN AND LAY HIM ON TRACKS

HARVEY, N. D., Aug. 23.—What may have been an attempt to murder was discovered when Charley Rose of Albia, Iowa, was picked up near Drake, having been run over by a train. His legs were badly mangled and there were bruises upon his head, which gave evidence of having been made with some blunt instrument.

The position of the man on the track and the blows upon his head lead to the suspicion that he may have been assaulted and robbed and then placed upon the track while in an unconscious condition, with the hope that the next train would obliterate all traces of the crime.

The man was unconscious when found, and has not since been in a condition where he could give any account of himself. It is feared by the physicians that he may die.

Asks for Good and Evil Line

WINONA LAKE, Ind., Aug. 23.—The Rev. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, president of Armour institute, Chicago, in a sermon preached yesterday afternoon at the twelfth annual bible conference, told the 2,000 ministers of twenty different denominations that their churches soon would be empty of men and of "thinking women" if the pastors failed to make plain the great difference between good and evil.

He cautioned them not to lay all their sins on Adam's back, saying they had all been in the garden of Eden, but they had lost their innocence. "Dr. Gunsaulus deplored the fact that the theaters had dramatized such books as "Ben Hur" and "The Sign of the Cross," while the pulpit had failed to apply these great messages in a forceful manner.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE.

Will cure Bright's Disease. Will cure Diabetes. Will cure Stone in Bladder. Will cure Kidney and Bladder Diseases. Sold by O. T. Erhart.



James Thompson
Republican Candidate for DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Primary Election, Sept. 4, 1904.

FOR SHERIFF

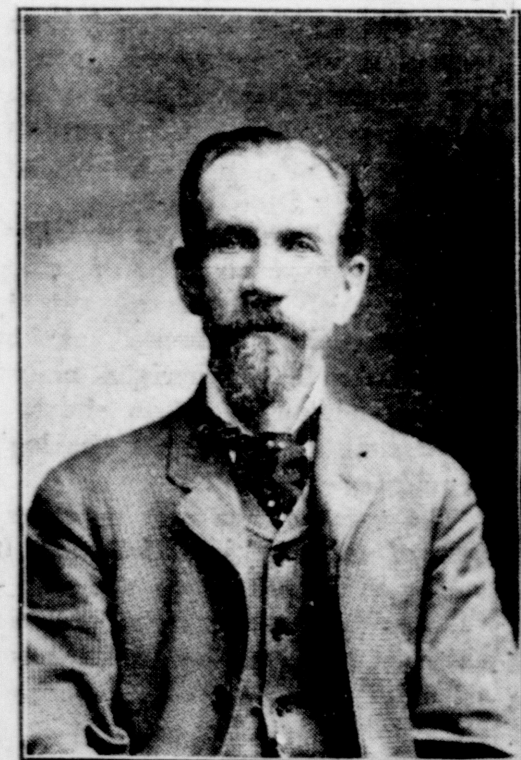
WM. DUNCAN

Republican Candidate

PRIMARY ELECTION

SEPT. 4th, 1906.

CASKA 35 CENTS A BOTTLE HOESCHLER'S STORES
City Book & Drug
Cor. S. & Main St.
Columbia Drug
123 S. 4th St.



Jno. Streeter

Republican Candidate

.....FOR.....

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Primary

September 4th, 1906.

NON-PARTIZAN JUDICIARY MOVEMENT GROWING FAST

Several Cities Follow Lead of New York, where Committee has an Independent Ticket in the Field

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Judicial candidates, chosen without regard to their political service, influence, or the campaign contributions they are willing to make, are offered to the voters of New York county this fall.

A committee of thirty-five lawyers, with Hon. Joseph H. Choate as chairman and Judge Alton B. Parker as vice chairman, have selected a ticket including ten candidates for justices of the supreme court, two for the court of general sessions, and a candidate for Surrogate. The ticket has already received the approval of over 1,700 members of the New York bar, and will cut an important figure in the fall elections.

The Judiciary Nominators, the name adopted by the Choate committee, have opened headquarters and are proceeding actively with the work of placing their candidates in nomination by petition. The committee has acted in response to a general demand from lawyers and the public generally for judicial candidates of proven ability and independence, who would be free from obligations or connections that might interfere with impartial and efficient administration of justice. This is their ticket:

For justices of the supreme court, Edward S. Clinch, Theodore Connolly, Lewis A. Delafield, John Frankenhimer, Leonard A. Giegerich, Arthur H. Masten, Samuel H. Ordway, Chas. E. Rushmore, Lawrence E. Sexton, Edward B. Whitney. For surrogate, Frank T. Fitzgerald. General sessions, Rufus B. Cowing and William

E. Wyatt.

Ever since Richard Croker testified before the Mazet committee that Tammany expected judges nominated and elected by it to favor the "organization" whenever they could do so, there has been a growing belief that something should be done to remove the choice of judges from political control. The discovery that heavy campaign contributions had come to be almost a condition precedent to nomination for judicial positions by the regular parties, strengthened this belief. Then came the plan of the judiciary nominators to choose candidates by a sort of referendum of lawyers and citizens in general without regard to party.

The lead of the judiciary nominators is being followed in several other cities. Movements are on foot in Brooklyn, Buffalo, Pittsburg and Chicago. A citizens' committee of one hundred is making up a ticket in Brooklyn, suggestions as to the best men being welcomed from all quarters. The experience of Buffalo shows how easy it is for an independent movement of this kind to be swallowed up by the politicians. The bar association there had the choice of nominees in hand to start with, but the movement was soon captured by men whose party allegiance was stronger than their desire to further absolutely independent judiciary nominations. Anticipating such a possibility in New York, the Choate committee has kept free from any organization through which its actions might be controlled or influenced.

Because---

The hops of the beer form a valuable tonic, because of their bitterness. It is recommended by physicians, because of its nutritive and tonic qualities. In the process of malting the starchy matter of the cereals has been converted into malt sugar, a function that the human organs perform.

Because---

The small per cent of alcohol—3½%—is only enough to stimulate the system in cases of debility. It does not overtax the excretions nor increase the heart's action. The small stimulant combined with the nutritive and tonic qualities is what is so sought for by physicians in cases of wasting disease.

Because---

Our grains are bought and graded by experts. Bohemia produces our hops. Wisconsin our barley. From deep seated wells we obtain our water, where by the slow process of seepage the water at last arrives laden with the minerals from the earth's soil and freed from the impurities. The purest that nature or ingenuity can provide.

Because---

Cleanliness—our constant aim—is the main essential of healthfulness. For the fifty years that Michel's beer has brewed cleanliness has been our watchword. All bottles are thoroughly sterilized before using. Our beer is so thoroughly cooked in the process of brewing that any germ would be destroyed.

MICHEL'S PERFECTION

—IS—

The

Master Brew

Why?

C. J. MICHEL BREWING CO.

Both Phones No. 2

La Crosse, Wis.

REV. A. K. SAGEN OF LA CROSSE AT CONFERENCE

RED WING, Minn., Aug. 23.—The opening exercises at the Lutheran pastoral conference yesterday were conducted by Rev. A. Salvesson of Crookston, Minn. The election of officers was made a special order for tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. C. S. Everson of Brooklyn, N. Y., gave an account of the church work on the Atlantic coast and the home mission field in that section. Mr. Everson has labored in Brooklyn and New York for over twenty-five years, and has built many churches which are now served by other and younger clergymen.

Rev. C. A. Gullixson of Chicago presented a report as to the home mission work in Chicago and Milwaukee. Rev. Gullixson has for several years been a member of the home mission board of the Eastern district of the synod, and is thoroughly conversant with the conditions. The synod has several pastors in Chicago, and a new worker will enter upon his duties next month. Rev. J. R. Birklund devotes his time to the city mission, laboring among the poor and neglected in the city, visiting the county hospital, poor farm, hospital for insane, the county jail, and the juvenile courts. Rev. Birklund was a missionary in Japan

for several years. On his return to this country Rev. Birklund took up the practice of medicine for some time, but left a lucrative practice in order to take up the work in the city mission.

Rev. A. K. Sagen of La Crosse; Prof. C. K. Preus, president of Luther college, Decorah; Rev. O. P. Vangsness, president of the Iowa district; Rev. O. J. Holden of Spokane, Wash., and Rev. V. Koren, D. D., president of the synod, spoke on the subject.

Rev. B. Askevold of Ossian, Iowa, read a paper on the new Norwegian translation of the New Testament. This was discussed by Rev. A. Laursen of Stoughton, Wis.; Prof. Laur Larsen, D. D., of Decorah, Iowa; Prof. J. Ylvisaker, D. D., of St. Paul; Rev. G. Erdahl of Barrett, Minn.; Rev. A. K. Sagen of La Crosse, Wis.; Rev. T. O. Tolo of Belgrade, Minn.; Rev. H. J. Strang of Albert Lea, Minn.

Rev. A. Bedessen of Stoughton, Wis., introduced the subject of an English translation of the church ritual and book of forms. The subject was discussed by Rev. A. K. Sagen, Rev. I. B. Torrison, Rev. K. Bjorgo and Prof. O. Naesseth.

Rev. H. J. Strand of Albert Lea led the devotional exercises at the afternoon session.

Dr. H. G. Stub of Luther seminary, St. Paul, who has spent the summer in Norway, being present at the coronation of the king, sent a communication to the conference. Owing to the sympathy shown by Americans of Norse descent during the struggle of Norway for a king of its own, the citizens of Norway are very cordial toward the Americans.

The condition and needs of the educational institutions of the synod were outlined in an address by Rev. C. T. Lee, president of the Glenwood academy, Glenwood, Minn.

The synod has a theological college at St. Paul, with four professors and sixty students; Luther college at Decorah, Iowa, with twelve professors and 200 students, and Luther normal school at Sioux Falls, S. D., with five professors and 150 students. In addition, the synod directly controls academies and high schools and the ladies' seminary at Red Wing. The independent schools have 1,800 students, the total number in all the institutions being over 2,200. The present value of the theological schools paid for by voluntary contributions is about \$300,000, and the twelve independent institutions within the synod are worth at least from \$500 to \$100,000. A dormitory costing \$50,000 will be built at Decorah, toward which

graduates, of whom there are 487, will each give \$100. Rev. R. O. Brandt delivered an address on the academics of the synod and how to secure interest in them, and means to insure their permanency.

LET'S \$10,000 STAND IN STREET WHILE HE FIGHTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Leaving his wagon in which was stored more than \$10,000 in order to fight for the right of way in upper Fifth avenue this afternoon, Joseph Nehr, a driver of the bullion wagon of the Oriental bank, when he was worsted in his encounter, secured a pistol and fired at John J. Callahan, a driver for the Westcott Express company. Callahan fled and the police were unable to find out whether the shot had hit him. Fifth avenue, near Eighty-eighth street, where the fight and the subsequent shooting occurred, was crowded when the shot was fired.

CHICAGO MAN VICTIM OF SHANGHAI

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 23.—United States marshals along the great lakes are working on a shanghaiing case as a result of a story told by Samuel Grant, a Chicago painter. He told the police at Detroit that he was sent to Milwaukee by an employment agency at Chicago and forced to go aboard the steamer Mohawk of the Western Transit line as a fireman.

When he refused to work he declares he was beaten with iron rods and wrenches. After all that, he added, he was deserted at the Sandwich coal docks and wandered to Detroit, where he looked up the police to tell his story. Labor unions are investigating the case, together with government officials.

POOR SERVICE IN CHICAGO DUE TO CITY, SAY THE TRACTION MAGNATES

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—Traction officials and prominent aldermen declared yesterday that the long chain of accidents which followed the installation of the trolley system on the west side cable lines is directly due to the policy of delay pursued last spring by Walter L. Fisher, the city's traction counsel, and the I. M. O. advisers of Mayor Dunne.

The traction men declare that Chicago would now have one of the best street railway systems in the world if the administration had granted the trolley permits in time to secure the proper equipment. As it was, the municipal ownership advocates threw every obstacle possible in the way of improved service and finally, when compelled to do so by the secretary of war, passed an ordinance requiring trolleyization within sixty days.

"I can not see why the city officials are surprised that the service is not perfect after they have done everything in their power to hinder us," a prominent traction man said yesterday. "It requires from ten months to one year to secure cars from the shops, and it was an impossibility to have a single car delivered within the time set. The company has been handicapped at every turn and we have been forced to pay double prices for copper trolley wire and equipment in order to have the work finished on time. The local transportation committee knew that this would be so last spring, when the company made a frank statement of the obstacles in its path.

"If the trolley ordinance had been passed three months sooner there would have been no cause for complaint in the service. They delayed the passage of the ordinance until the last moment and then put the measure through the council with a rush, requiring us to install the electric system within sixty days. It had to be

done and as we had no new cars and it was an utter impossibility to secure them we had no alternative but to equip the trailers with such motors as we could secure. The local transportation committee told us to do this and now they are protesting because the service is not better."

When the companies applied for trolley permits last spring Aldermen Foreman and Bennett urged the transportation committee to grant the permits at once, in order to give the company time to install a satisfactory equipment. The mayor's traction premier insisted, however, that the rights of the city would be imperiled and insisted on proceeding with "caution" and the company was kept in doubt as to whether the permits would be granted until the last moment.

"We consider that the company has done remarkably well in installing the trolley service as soon as it did," General Manager Roach of the Union Traction company said. "People do not understand the difficulty in securing equipment on short notice. Even by paying a large bonus it is impossible to secure the necessary equipment as soon as we want it. The shops that build the cars could not turn out rolling stock in less than ten months."

An element of humor was injected into the traction situation yesterday by Dr. M. F. Doty, city superintendent of transportation, who shook the "big stick" at the Union Traction company and ordered on his private squad of police to enforce his commands. Dr. Doty issued a number of bulletins during the day, which contained an ultimatum to the traction company demanding that the service be improved. Policemen were stationed at all downtown street crossings with instructions to compel all cars to stop at every corner. This caused the streets to become blocked, and then Dr. Doty indited another letter to the company demanding that it relieve the congestion.

General Manager Roach and General Superintendent Hertzog spent yesterday on the West Madison street line regulating the traffic and succeeded in bringing order out of chaos.

"The inexperience of the motormen causes much of the delay," Mr. Roach said. "It will take time to get everything to running."

HAILSTONES QUEER ICEMEN'S BUSINESS

WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 23.—Record-breaking hailstones are reported to have fallen in a terrific storm which visited the section about Readlyn, in Bremer county. The area cov-

ered was small, but the storm did great damage. All the window glass on the east side of buildings was broken, and corn and other crops battered and bruised by the pieces of ice. Nothing like the hailstones which fell ever have been seen in this neighborhood. One was picked up which weighed a pound and measured six inches across, being rough and jagged in outline. Another weighed half a pound and a third a trifle less. The majority were larger than walnuts, and any one caught out in the storm undoubtedly would have been beaten to death. Some merchants who were unable to get out to raise their awnings found them completely riddled after the storm had ceased. Such large quantities of the hail fell that the ground was covered to the depth of several inches, and it was some time before the ice had disappeared. The storm appeared only in streaks, being confined to three narrow strips between Readlyn and Wapsie. The worst damage to corn fields was in the district north and east of here. The corn, which had an unusually stalwart growth, was literally beaten into the ground, and it is not believed that much of it can be saved. The roar of the falling hail sent terror to the hearts of timid people and could be heard for miles. The clatter of the ice upon roofs, buildings and the hard ground made a noise like the discharge of distant artillery, and could be heard in surrounding towns where neither rain nor hail fell.

CONSUMPTION THREATENED.

C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since." Sold by O. T. Erhart.

ELLEN KNOCKED OUT BY TEXAS MAMIE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 23.—"Texas Mamie" of this city yesterday knocked out Ellen Devine of New York, winning \$200 in stakes.

Two hundred men saw the battle of Amazons up in Delaware and called it the "fastest bout between ladies" they had ever had the pleasure of witnessing.

"Texas" and Ellen are lightweights, weighing in at 105 pounds. They did not fight in regular ring costume, Marquis of Queensbury rules were followed.

One of the "gentlemen" who witnessed the encounter described it as follows:

"Ellen did well in the first two rounds, but Texas took the lead in the third and Ellen was badly beat up by Texas' rushing tactics."

"With a hard wallop in the sixth and last round and a right on the solar plexus, Texas doubled Ellen up and the New York girl was counted out by Referee Sam Devon of Camden."

Ellen lay unconscious on the battlefield.

"Texas Mamie," howbeit, had troubles of her own as she returned proudly to her home."

A vicious dog on the road didn't like her looks and rushed at her with open mouth. Before "Texas" could land him another of those famous "rights" the brutal animal jumped at her and bit her badly on the thigh.

The services of physicians were then needed and the wound was cauterized.

UNIQUE THEATRE

LA CROSSE'S NEWEST PLAYHOUSE
Lavalle & Michinsky, Props. & Mgrs.
Third St. between Main and Pearl Sts.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK
COMMENCING
Saturday Matinee Aug. 18th.

MOVING PICTURES!

1. Shooting the Rapids of the Ozon River in Japan.
2. The Masqueraders.
3. SONG—Where the Silvery Colorado Winds its Way.
4. Tenant's Revenger.
5. Oh, That Limburger!
6. SONG—Just Wait the Baby Found.

High Class Entertainment for Ladies and Children.

Admission: Children 5c; Adults 10c

SEATS FREE FOR ALL
Performances 1:30 P. M. to 5 P. M.
and from 7:30 to 11 P. M.

S.S.S. CURES CATARRH

Catarrh cannot be washed away with sprays, inhalations and such treatment, nor can it be smoked out with medicated tobacco, cigarettes, etc. When you attempt to cure Catarrh with such things you are wasting time and allowing the impurities and poisons in the blood, which produce the disease, to get so firmly rooted as to become not only a disgusting trouble, but a very dangerous one. The annoying symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, "hawking and spitting," headaches, mucus dropping back into the throat, impairment to the senses of taste and smell, and a feeling of general debility, prove that there is a deep-seated cause for Catarrh. This cause is a polluted and unhealthy condition of the blood, and the disease cannot be cured until this is removed. The only way to get rid of Catarrh permanently is to purify the blood, and S. S. S. is the ideal remedy for this purpose. It soon clears the system of all impurities, purges the blood of all catarrhal matter and poisons, and effectually checks the progress of this disgusting and far-reaching disease. S. S. S. puts the blood in perfect order, and as this pure, healthy blood goes to every nook and corner of the body Catarrh is permanently cured. Book with information about Catarrh and medical advice free.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Quality

Is the Foundation of the Marvelous Success of



Red Feather

This Tobacco is made of the choicest Virginia and Kentucky Tobacco, selected for the Exclusive Use of the

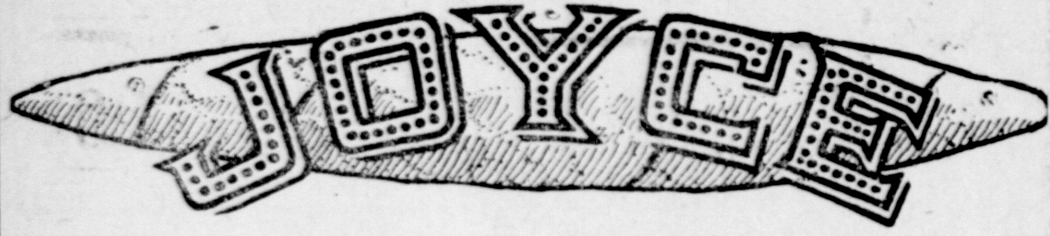
WESTERN TOBACCO WORKS

It Excels All Others And

IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE.

...THE... Joy of Smoking

is greatly increased if it's a



5¢ Cigar.

No one can know this unless he
has had the opportunity.
IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE

ADAM E. FORSCHLER, DISTRIBUTOR.

THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

Published Every Afternoon except Sunday, at 121 Main St., La Crosse, Wis.

A NEWSPAPER FOR THE PEOPLE

By The Tribune Publishing Company

W. V. KIDDER Managing Editor

Daily by Carrier \$5.00 per year

Daily by Mail \$4.00 per year

Entered as second-class matter June 22, 1904, at the Post Office at La Crosse, Wis., under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Special Representatives: Payne & Young, Chicago, 948 Marquette Bldg.; New York City, 105 Potter Bldg.

POOR "BOOSTING" FOR DAVIDSON

The Leader-Press, which has been an anti-Lenroot paper ever since it thought it was sure Governor Davidson would be nominated, says:

"Somehow in his speech at the rink Monday night Senator La Follette forgot to explain why he resigned as governor and left Davidson in charge unless he believed the latter competent."

Somehow the Leader-Press forgets that the regular legislative session was over when La Follette resigned; somehow the Leader-Press forgets that in order to be sure of that no mistakes would be made La Follette called a special session of the legislature to clean up the last straws before resigning; somehow the Leader-Press forgets that there was nothing but the merest routine left for the remainder of the gubernatorial term La Follette was relinquishing to Gov. Davidson.

Now all this has nothing whatever to do with the advisability of nominating Davidson. It all rests with his ability. So popular a man must be

good and honest. He may not be entirely competent. That is the inferential claim of Senator La Follette. Senator La Follette does not say Davidson is an incompetent. He says that Lenroot is the more competent and that the republicans should nominate the more competent man.

The Leader-Press is for Davidson because it thinks Davidson will win. It is for Davidson for another reason. It is for Davidson because Mr. Gelatt knows Mr. Cargill and the other public service men with whom he is associated, and ALL stalwarts, are for Davidson. Davidson cannot help that. He probably knows the support of the Cargill newspapers is hurting him, but he cannot make them be still.

If the Leader-Press wants to support Mr. Davidson on the square why don't it say he is a more capable man than is Lenroot? There can be no other honest reason. Many people think Davidson IS stronger than Lenroot. Many more do not think so. What does Mr. Gelatt think about it?

TO OUR BALL PLAYERS

The baseball season is nearly over. The schedule is rapidly being played off. The pennant hangs in the balance.

You boys MUST win. You are the "Champs" of last year. You are pretty much the same crowd. You have a reputation to maintain.

La Crosse, that has followed you and admired you at home and abroad, is watching you with solicitation. Our home people will not listen to talk of possible defeat. They have faith in you.

But it is not La Crosse alone that is watching you. The great state of Wisconsin is watching you and praying that you may win. You, only you, stand between Wisconsin and Illinois. If you fail this state must watch the humiliating spectacle of an Illinois city flying the pennant of the Wisconsin state league. Can you imagine how deeply the people of this whole state are interested in seeing you win?

Do you realize what a neck and neck finish this is? Do you know that this is the prettiest championship race being run this year in any league in the United States? Do you recognize the honor and the prestige that the team, as a team, will acquire if it is victorious?

Do you appreciate the fact that each individual player of you all has something at stake? You will want to advance in your profession. You want to be drafted by the big leagues. You want to be signed at higher salaries in faster company. Do you see what it will be worth to each one of you to have been with the team that TWICE in succession won the Wisconsin state league pennant?

You are obliged to finish at a great disadvantage. Freeport has a long schedule at home while you must play a long series away from home. Freeport plays four games in La Crosse and La Crosse plays five games in Freeport. The odds are against you.

If you boys want to win you must be manly about it. You must not be "quitters." God hates a quitter. You must prove that there is no streak of yellow in the Champs. TRY to win EVERY game. If you lose one, FORGET IT. Keep trying, always trying. Determine that every game Freeport loses means so much per cent that they will never recover.

LIVE RIGHT - You can't play good ball if you take liberties with yourselves. You must avoid injurious indulgence of every sort. Make this fight THE FIGHT OF YOUR LIVES. Put your hearts and brains as well as your bodies into it. GET THAT PENNANT.

Mr. Aylward has begun his campaign with the suggestion that Senator Merton should not have the democratic support because he has "repudiated" the democratic platform. This state has thought well of Mr. Aylward, but it may have been a mistake for him to begin by an appeal to partyism. We believe advocacy of principles, not talk of party lines and unofficial platforms, should be employed.

Too bad "Punch" Robertson cannot put "Punch" on the official ballot. Those who know him only as "Punch" and who want to vote for him should not forget that he bears the dignified name of "Robert" Robertson. It will appear on the ballot that way. "For Clerk of the Court, Robert Robertson."

You will not prosper because of the bargains your neighbors find in the stores. Begin to read the ads yourself.

Now was the fellow who appointed "See-wow" crazy all the time, or did he become batty after the ceremony?

MODERN ADAM SEEKS FIG LEAF RELM

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 23.—James P. Sharp, who says he is Adam, and a band of followers numbering about fifty, marched through Oklahoma City today on their way to the Pacific coast. Sharp led a parade of half nude persons through the streets here about a year ago, which resulted in one of the band being sent to the asylum.

Sharp returned a few weeks ago and established a camp east of town, where many of his followers went without clothing, under the belief they were in the garden of Eden. They were arrested and fined time after time, but without effect on their belief. Sharp says it was a case of persecution and decided to go to the coast.

In the parade today were many little children, who marched for eight miles without stopping and were hardly able to walk. Covered wagons containing a dozen or more babies brought up the rear.

HOTELS SUFFER FROM DEADBEATS

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 23.—The chief paper of the morning at the second day's session of the Northwestern Hotelmen's association was that of J. F. Stout of a local law firm on the subject of "Hotel Legislation in the States Comprising the Association."

Mr. Stout's argument was that there was little actual law in any of

these states protecting hotels against deadbeats and petty thievery. The only remedy he could suggest under the present conditions was to demand an advance payment from suspicious individuals. But little good was ordinarily realized from levying on the baggage of such parties.

As a result of Mr. Stout's paper, a committee was appointed, of which President Miller was elected chairman, with vice presidents from each state, to formulate a bill covering the suggestions implied in Mr. Stout's paper.

ASKS INJUNCTION TO RESTRAIN IMITATOR OF DIVING ACT

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—An injunction was asked yesterday in the circuit court by Louis Serche, a deep sea diver at Riverview park, against Capt. Edwards, who also makes dives in a tank at Sans Souci park. Serche declares that while he does not know Capt. Edwards' first name, he has reason to believe that the defendant is infringing on his act, which he declares is copyrighted. Therefore the request for the injunction.

LETTER TO THE VOTERS

The sheriff, poor fellow! he can't run more than one term. The law says: keep him free from political temptation. The duty of the district attorney in getting after criminals is much like that of the sheriff. Therefore, for our custom says: the district attorney should serve not more than two terms. Law and custom go hand in hand. Mr. Thompson.

JAMES THOMPSON.

JUST LIFE



The Reporter's Nerve

The cub reporter wandered aimlessly about beautiful Pettibone park. He had been assigned to "cover" the Doerflinger employes' outing and a huge badge adorned his lapel.

Crowds of blithesome girls and young men frolicked about him, store managers' austere aspects had been replaced with congenial smiles and even the dignified general manager beamed upon the happy employes.

The reporter had gathered statistics of the ball games, the prize contests, the races and accompanying data necessary to his 600-word story, casting longing glances the while at brimming tubs of ice-cold lemonade, sweating freezers of cream, platters of fruit and sandwiches.

He timidly joined the glad some throng and picking up an ice cream dish advanced to the man with the ladle and hesitatingly held it up to be filled. Looking furtively about he encountered the frowning gaze of a round woman with flaming countenance who wore no badge of authority or privilege. She frowned him almost down and out.

"Th' nerve uv some people," she sniffed, turning in her indignation to a less round companion. "Th' nerve uv some people, coming over here and buttin' in on th' refreshments. It jes' ought to be reported to th' management. I wonder where that boy got a badge. Why, th' nerve uv some people," and her eyes rolled in horror.

Abashed, the reporter winked at one of the store managers at whose request he was present and who had provided him with a badge.

"The nerve of some people," he remarked as he lifted a heaping spoon of cream into the yawning cavity behind his curled lips.

The reporter thereupon annihilated a second dish of cream, partook of several glasses of lemonade, masticated ten sandwiches and dipped into every delicacy upon the boards, to the horror of the round objector.

Mule Gets Worst of It

A farmer remarked that "everything is measured by horsepower in the mechanical world; the mule is left out in the cold, and a mule is warranted to pull anything that has two ends." The farmer is right; the mule has a kick coming.—Cassville Index.

Robinson Crusoe's Island Gone

The earthquake of Aug. 16 destroyed the historic island of Juan Fernandez, better known as "Robinson Crusoe's island." Juan Fernandez was 400 miles off the Chilean coast. The island belonged to Chile, but once Alexander Selkirk, a Scotch seaman, was its sole inhabitant.

It was Alexander Selkirk's story that formed the basis of De Foe's immortal romance, "Robinson Crusoe."

De Foe, as everybody knows, picked up the island of Juan Fernandez, carried it across the Andes, and plunked it down into the Caribbean sea, off the coast of Guinea. But Selkirk lived on the island just where it was when last Thursday's earthquake found it.

His Face His Fortune

J. L. Jensen, the genial candidate for sheriff, was in our town Thursday, showing his smiling face to the voters the last time before primaries.—Strum Globe.

Music of Paradise

Mrs. M. A. Heatley was a guest at Crowe Brothers' Paradise Corner, home on the holiday and spent a very enjoyable day. She had the pleasure of hearing Miss Sherman sing, which is a rare treat. In the evening the Misses Mary and Annie Hawe and Nellie and Agnes Heatley also visited there.—Wexford news, Allamakee Journal.

A Correction

We got the new roof on the wrong house last week. Instead of the vacant house on the Healy farm it is the one they live in. Levi Sires did the work.—English Bench News.

Ye Editors' Tribulations

Arlington News: "If there is one place in hell hotter than another it is reserved for the man who gets mad at the editor and stops his paper and then borrows it from some one else. We mean this and we don't care who it strikes. It is a God's fact. We

J. J. DURLAND'S RECORD IN THE ASSEMBLY

Following is the record of Assemblyman J. J. Durland in the legislature: VOTED AGAINST—

Bill prohibiting lobbyists from attempting to influence members of the legislature other than by appearance before committees.

Bill to provide additional inspectors for the dairy and food commission.

Bill empowering and requiring state board of medical examiners to refuse to grant licenses to persons guilty of immoral, dishonorable and unprofessional conduct.

Bills for the taxation of insurance, telephone and telegraph companies.

Bill to provide for punishment for the formation of unlawful trusts and combinations.

Bill to provide for appointment of a woman as member of the board of control.

Bill amending primary election law giving voter first and second choice intended to prevent minority nominations.

VOTED FOR—

All stalwart amendments to the railroad rate bill.

Bill abolishing office of county supervisor of assessments.

Bill to increase salaries of members of legislature.

Bill to prevent license by remonstrance.

Voted for, one time, and against another, the bill requiring telephone companies to make connections with other lines.

MIDNIGHT

Continued From Page One.

"They have nothing to work on," said Dr. Moxius, "for we have the records and evidences to show that Dr. Roberts did not die of peritonitis or as the result of infections caused by unclean surgical instruments or improper incisions. The care accorded the patient was the best that could be given."

"The operation was performed by Dr. William M. Harshar, one of the most capable surgeons in the city, and if Dr. Roberts' life could have been saved, I believe he would have done so."

"Dr. Roberts died of intestinal paralysis and not of peritonitis or the surgical operation he underwent."

David Roberts, brother of Dr. Roberts, is said to have visited the hospital yesterday. After an inspection of the records and an investigation, it is said he declared he was satisfied with the treatment his brother received.

BELIEVE CAPTIVE IS "CON" MAN

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—William Hawley, alias "Big Bill," who described himself as "broke," was arrested last night at Broadway and Forty-second street. According to Detective Sergeant Dunne, Hawley is one of the greatest "con" men in the country.

"He is known all over the world," said Dunne today. "His picture is in every police collection. For some time he advertised a beauty cure in this city and got in touch with a number of well known women. It is his boast that he knows the 5,000 prettiest girls in New York."

STOP CEREAL MERGER

AKRON, O., Aug. 23.—An injunction suit against Chicago and Cleveland directors of the American Cereal company to restrain them from transferring the stock of the company to the Quaker Oats company for the purpose of forming a consolidation of the cereal companies of the country has been filed here.

It is charged that the directors tried to influence the last Ohio legislature to amend the law regulating the sale of corporations by making three-fourths of the directors necessary instead of all. The suit was filed by Carl R. Ganter of New York. A temporary injunction has been granted by Judge Pardee.

know a few of this kind and we are going to publish their names some of these days." Don't do it Bro. Lake. You only dignify them by so doing. Treat the ignoramus with silent contempt as we do.—Lansing Journal.

REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

Located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 18th day of June, 1906.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	\$2,529,179.18
Overdrafts	677.03
U. S. bonds and premium	404,000.00
Other bonds	109,511.89
Banking house and fixtures	75,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash and due from banks	588,631.05
Total	\$3,726,999.15

Liabilities.

Capital stock	\$400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	31,363.52
Nat'l Bank notes outstanding	390,000.00
Deposits	2,805,635.63
Total	\$3,726,999.15

THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE.

June 18th, 1906.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	\$2,773,023.19
Overdrafts	1,668.03
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Other bonds	204,800.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00

Cash Resources.

U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$50,000.00
With banks	\$20,997.73
With treasurer U. S.	12,500.00
In vaults	\$274,596.06
Total	\$858,093.79

Liabilities.

Capital	\$250,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	29,778.19
Circulation	250,000.00
Deposits	3,407,906.82
Total	\$4,137,685.01

United States Depository.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE BANK OF LA CROSSE.

La Crosse, Wis., June 18, 1906.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	\$673,883.77
Overdrafts	171.53
U. S. and other bonds and securities	77,437.65
Banking house & fixtures	12,000.00
Due from banks and in vaults	280,574.38
Total	\$1,044,067.33

Liabilities.

Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	14,825.49
Deposits	929,241.93
Total	\$1,044,067.33

Exchange State Bank

NORTH LA CROSSE.

Capital..... \$25,000.00

Surplus..... 3,000.00

A general banking business transacted.

OFFICERS—J. E. Wheeler, pres.; Orlando Holway, vice-pres.; Jos. P. Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry, asst. cashier. Directors—J. E. Wheeler, Orlando Holway, W. B. Tschanner, Wm. F. Gohres, S. J. Waite.

Good Wages Paid

To Boys and Girls at Bunting Department—Goddard Brewing Company. : :

APPLY AT ONCE

All kinds of second handed household goods and clothing bought and sold. Edith E. Hamilton, 223 South Third Street.

HAMILTON'S REPAIR SHOP:

Hardware, stoves, stove repairs, bicycles, lawn mowers and gasoline stoves cleaned and repaired in first class order. Call at

HAMILTON'S SECOND HAND STORE 316 South Third Street.

New phone—179—Old phone

Gateway City Transfer Line

Baggage, all kinds heavy draying, pianos, safes and household goods, finest bus in the city for picnics etc. 215-217 Vine Street, La Crosse, Wis.

Robert (Punch) Robertson

Republican Candidate, Clerk of Court

A CONFIDENTIAL CHAT

BETWEEN TWO PUNCHES



-PUNCH No 1:-PUNCH! DO YOU SOLEMNLY SWEAR TO VOTE FOR PUNCH?

-PUNCH No 2:-YOU BET I DO PUNCH!

FOR THESE REASONS - FIRST:- THIS IS NOT A LIMITED MONARCHY WHERE THE CHAIR OF THE CLERK OF COURT GOES FROM FATHER TO SON AND THEN TO NEXT OF KIN.

SECOND:- THIS IS NOT A ROYALTY, WHERE ONE MAN IS WEDDED TO THE CHAIR UNTIL DEATH DO THEM PART.

"INQUIRE ABOUT THIS IF YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND"

WATER MELONS

Sweet Hearts
Ripe and Delicious Flavor

JOHN C. BURNS
: FRUIT HOUSE :

J. E. GEIWITZ.
JEWELER.
COR. FIFTH & MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE AND JULY WE SOLD MORE DIAMONDS than at any other time in our Diamond Business. The reason is we are giving **BETTER QUALITY AND LOWER PRICES THAN OTHERS.** We are selling Diamonds on Credit to responsible parties. Invest NOW as Diamonds are continually advancing. We can save you money on all your Jewelry Wants.

J. E. GEIWITZ, RELIABLE JEWELER.
500-502 Cor. 5th and Main

HOT WEATHER DOUBLES PRICE OF LEMONS

"The hot weather has, during the past ten days, raised the price of lemons in this city," said John C. Burns, wholesale fruit dealer, today. "About ten days ago we sold lemons at \$4 a case. Now we are selling the same kind of lemons at \$6 a case. The demand for lemons has been exceedingly large during that time."

The price of butter has also gone up considerably. The hot weather has dried up the pastures and the result is that the farmers do not get half the amount of milk they got under normal conditions.

According to statistics retail prices of food have advanced steadily since 1890, when the bureau first began to keep tab. In 1896, the year of the lowest prices, the average cost of food per family was \$266.76 per year, while in 1905 it was \$349.27.

The prices on the various products have advanced as follows: Bacon has advanced 43.5 per cent since 1896; potatoes, 43.1 per cent; eggs, 41.8 per cent; dry or pickled pork, 39.9 per cent; fresh pork, 30 per cent; flour, 29.3 per cent; corn meal, 28.6 per cent.

Wages were higher in 1905 than in 1904 by 1.6 per cent.

MRS. H. NOLL IS ENROUTE WEST

Mrs. Herman Noll has departed on an extended pleasure trip in the West. She will visit points in Arizona, California and Colorado.

Mrs. Noll will be gone for three months. She will first visit her son, Herman Noll Jr., who is associated with a prominent business house in Clifton, Ariz. From there she will go through Arizona, stopping at Phoenix,

Tucson, and Beming. She will then run up into California where she will visit leading cities. On her return she will spend some time in Denver, Colo. Mrs. Noll anticipates a pleasant trip.

ARRANGE GAMES WITH FAST TEAM

Manager H. Schaldach for the W. B. U. baseball team has completed arrangements for a series of games with the Kurth Brewery team of Columbus, Wis.

It is thought that there is a good sized wager between the teams. The games are to be played on the local diamond Sept. 1, 2 and 3. Wolford will probably throw one of the games and "Lefty" Kohn will toe the slab in the other two, for the "Athletes," and Hutchinson will do most of the twirling for the Kurth team. The Kurth team defeated the Caspar team at the close of last season with Dodge and Dodge as batteries, and a very interesting game is expected.

STORM DAMAGE VERY HEAVY

The railroad and telephone companies sustained much damage during the recent storms, especially in the vicinity of La Crosse.

The Burlington and Southeastern roads suffered the most damage. Numerous farmers south of here report the entire loss of their tobacco crops by hail.

WEDDED AT HOKAH

At the Catholic church in Hokah, Tuesday morning, Aug. 21, Miss Antoinette Langen and Julius E. Zander were united in marriage. Rev. Dolle of La Crescent performing the ceremony. The young couple were attended by Miss Emma Langen, sister of the bride, and Will Von Arx. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Langen, old and well known residents of Hokah and a young lady highly esteemed among her many friends. The groom, a South Ridge young man, has been living in La Crosse, where he has employment, and where the young couple will make their home. After the marriage ceremony, relatives and friends partook of a sumptuous wedding dinner at the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held during the day and evening and the pleasant event fittingly observed.

DOERFLINGER EMPLOYEES HAVE GRAND OUTING DAY

Weather was fine and Annual Picnic at Expense of Management was Truly a "Sunbeam"

Yesterday was the day of the annual picnic of the Park store, and the affair was a decided success. The store was closed at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the employees, headed by Kreutz's band proceeded to lower Main street, where they boarded the steamer Hudson and were carried to the park. About a dozen of the Park store delivery wagons were needed to carry the refreshments to the park.

The party was landed at the extreme northern portion of the grounds and the tables, etc., were speedily erected and all the refreshments were at the command of the pleasure seekers. Lemonade was made in gallons and this was set around promiscuously. After everybody had partaken of the lunch the crowds began to seek for cool places to spend the day. The band carried on a concert in the pavilion during the entire afternoon.

Tickets were distributed among the employees and several automobiles which had been hired for the occasion were kept in service throughout the entire afternoon. The launch of J. C. Toeller, manager of the store, was also kept in service.

The first thing on the program was the ladies' "tug of war" and the winning side was given a five-pound box

of candy. One of the most interesting features of the day was the ladies' baseball game. Manager Thornbury was captain of the winning team while Mr. Doerflinger captained the losing side. The score was 11 to 9.

In the men's game the employees of the basement played those of the upper floors. The score was 13 to 10.

Mrs. Stella Groves and Miss Esperson were the winners in the apple races.

Numerous sack races, potato races, three-legged races, etc., amused the spectators during the afternoon.

Supper was served at 6 after which a number of balloons were sent up. The event was a decided success and a vote of thanks was extended the management at the close of the day's outing.

The management of the Park store deserves to be congratulated upon the way that the affair was handled and those who were lucky enough to be present have nothing but words of praise for those who had charge of the arrangements.

That the large number of employees appreciate the efforts of the management of the big store is shown by a vote of thanks which was tendered to Mr. Doerflinger and his associates.

LA CROSSE WILL GET LABORERS SCARCE MUNICIPAL CONVENTION

The Wisconsin League of Municipalities met at Ashland yesterday and held sessions afternoon and evening. About 100 delegates were present, representing fifty Wisconsin cities. Prof. E. G. Smith of Beloit college delivered an address on the purification of drinking water, illustrated by lantern slides. The convention voted to visit the Ashland filtration plant at the close of his address, but a driving rain prevented. The bulk of the business will be transacted today and Friday. There will be a boat ride on Lake Superior. Mayor Williams delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Mayor Torrance of La Crosse.

La Crosse looks like a winner for the next convention.

MAKES THE LIVER LIVELY.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup gives permanent relief in cases of habitual constipation as it stimulates the liver and restores the natural action of the bowels without irritating these organs like pills or ordinary cathartics. Does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Remember the name Orino and refuse substitutes. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

PREPARES FOR MISSISSIPPI IMPROVEMENT MEETING

President of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement Commission Thomas Wilkinson of Burlington, Ia., passed through the city yesterday. He was on his way to make arrangements for the annual meeting which is to be held in Minneapolis this year. Every city of importance along the Mississippi is expected to send delegates and Mr. Wilkinson thinks that this convention will be one of the largest ever held.

AN EVOLUTION

In business. We have been changing our jewelry business from a retail store to a wholesale one, and are giving our customers the advantage of saving the retailers' profits. Today we received our Fall and Christmas stock of gold set rings. We have hundreds of pretty patterns to choose from and the prices are much lower than ever before. Call and let us prove what we say is so.

IRVINE'S, 429 MAIN ST.
La Crosse's Greatest Jewelry Store

CITY NEWS

WIRING EXPERTS, 227 MAIN.

Owing to legal holidays interfering the Soldiers' Relief commission will postpone its meeting to have been held on Monday to Wednesday afternoon.

Oscar Johnson, who was overcome by heat during the La Follette speech is recovering.

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man." Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Mrs. Howard Lander and son Frank of Deadwood, S. D., are visiting their daughter at the home of Clerk of the Court George Wright.

Frank Smith leaves within a few days for the northern part of the state.

Wanted First class dining room girls at the Cafe.

Miss Marie Dugan left this morning for a two weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in the vicinity of Caledonia, Minn.

Write to F. G. Davis, Macon, N. C., for particulars—cheapest and best lands in United States, elegant water, climate the best. Enough timber on every farm to pay for it. Cheap rates first and third Tuesdays.

Miss Georgie Holmes left last evening on the Burlington for the Twin Cities to spend her vacation with friends and relatives.

Jacob Meyer of Ninth and La Crosse streets, left last evening for Milwaukee where he will attend the butchers' convention and visit for a few weeks with relatives and friends.

The Y. M. C. A. camp has closed for the summer.

W. W. Hubbel one of the injured victims of Feltz' knife at Sparta on Aug. 13, is able to be around and soon will be entirely recovered.

Dr. J. W. Lawrence, dentist, corner Fifth and Main.

Three valuable cows were killed on the farm of A. D. Sprague near Caledonia during an electrical storm a few days ago.

When you wash things of more value than dish towels the wear of the articles are much more important than the cost of the soap. Five cents spent for Beach's Peosta Soap often saves twenty cents in clothes. Buy Peosta from your grocer and follow the directions.

W. J. Ferris, general manager of the La Crosse Water Power company, was delayed at Franklin, Ind., and will not be able to begin operations here until next week.

Many persons in this community are suffering from kidney complaint who could avoid fatal results by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

While W. L. Hixon was giving his family a view of the lakes Sunday in his automobile the differential got out of order and a farmer was hired to drag in the machine says the Mankato Free Press.

WIRING, THE HEAVY LIGHT MAN.

Walter Blinson has returned from a visit in Leon.

Miss Mary Zelazink of Cleveland, is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. M. Goldish and other relatives.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Mrs. J. F. Lapitz and son Roy have returned from Minneapolis where they attended the G. A. R. encampment.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Dr. and Mrs. D. P. Wheeler have returned to their home in Madison after a short visit with A. C. Wolfe.

Electric fans while they last, \$5.50. Electric Supply & Construction company, 227 Main street.

Mrs. Howard Lander and son Frank of Deadwood are visiting Mrs. G. D. Wright.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

John Gumd, Jr., of Louisville, Ky., is in the city visiting old friends and relatives.

Foley's Kidney Cure is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Examinations for clerks on the Panama canal were taken yesterday at the federal building.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Walter Card and Miss Mildred Evenson of Sparta, were married at the home of the bride's parents yesterday. The young couple will reside in Sparta.

Electric fans \$5. A. O. Colby.

Wells E. Bennett has returned from Trempealeau where he has been spending a week's outing.

CHANDLER PARLOR, 227 Main.

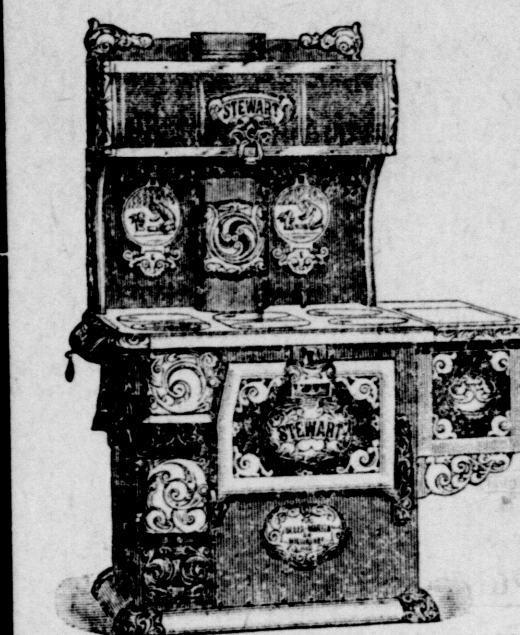
BULL MOVEMENT FALLS OFF

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The big bull movement resulting from the Harriman dividends, fell off considerably yesterday, and the atmosphere in and around the stock exchange seemed less charged with energy than on the three previous days, and the total number of shares dealt in was 1,939,600, as against 2,700,000 on Monday.

The Nelson Carpet Co

THE STORE OUT OF THE HIGH RENT DISTRICT. SAVE THE DIFFERENCE.

IF THE BEST IS NOT TOO GOOD THEN BUY A "STEWART"



And of course, the best is what you want—in fact, you cannot afford to experiment with a cheap or inferior make of stoves. Still, low prices do not always signify inferior quality, nor do high prices insure high quality. In "Stewart" Stoves and Ranges you have the hearty indorsement of hundreds of users right here in La Crosse that

have tested "STEWART" Stoves and Ranges in the home, which is the only true test by which to judge a stove. The prices of Stewart Stoves and Ranges are much lower than other standard makes; so why not have the best—all "STEWART" Stoves are sold on

\$1.00 a Week Payments

We are Sole Agent for this mattress, and have also a nice line of Cotton Felt Mattresses, starting at \$6.00 and up. We now have a large assortment of Rugs in the new colors and patterns, and our assortment of Furniture is larger than ever. REMEMBER YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD HERE.

OSTERMOOR
BETTER THAN HAIR
BUILT NOT STUFFED
MATTRESS

ably yesterday, and the atmosphere in and around the stock exchange seemed less charged with energy than on the three previous days, and the total number of shares dealt in was 1,939,600, as against 2,700,000 on Monday.

The public is in the market, according to the brokers, but profit taking by the big interests kept the prices irregular. The Hill ore deal story was used as a convenient means of keeping the interest up. With it Great Northern preferred was run up 16 points to 324, and Northern Pacific 7 points to 218. The same story was helpful to the United States Steel issues.

BOY IS KILLED BY TRAIN

NEW ULM, Minn., Aug. 23.—While returning home William Fiemeyer, 19 years old, was instantly killed early yesterday morning by being struck by an out-bound passenger train on the main line of the North-Western railway one mile east of this city.

The lad was employed as a tinner and was spending his vacation on a farm. He had attended the firemen's picnic yesterday and was last seen at 11 o'clock in the evening. It is supposed that he was walking along the track, and becoming tired sat down and fell asleep. The pilot of the engine fractured his skull.

Coroner Bayley of Sleepy Eye viewed the remains and decided that an inquest was not necessary.

ELROY, Wis., Aug. 20.—Peter Conley of Reedsburg, aged about 18 years, was cut in two and horribly mangled by a freight train in this city last night. He was with some companions who were stealing a ride home, a distance of about twenty miles, but was not missed by them until they arrived home.

Have you seen our new stock of

BRACELETS

The finest goods ever shown in a jewelry store. Our stock comprises every new pattern, Carmen, Bates & Bacon, F & B, Standard, Norma and other makes. Prices run from

\$2.25 to \$6.00

IRVINE'S, 429 Main St.

THE BEST GOODS AT THE LOWEST PRICES

NEW CHARGE AGAINST NEW YORK INSURANCE MEN

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the international policyholders' committee, has written a letter to the state superintendent of insurance, charging the agents of some life companies with collecting from the policyholders undated proxies with the intention of filling in the dates after Oct. 18, the earliest time at which a proxy, under the new laws, may be executed. Two men high in the New York Life agency force are named by Untermyer in the letter.

The Armstrong committee laws in regard to this point are explicit. They say no proxies executed before Oct. 18 will be valid. Any violation of the Armstrong committee laws is a misdemeanor. Untermyer's letter says: "As one instance we cite the case of Thaddeus Bell, agency director of the New York Life Insurance company for the state of Texas, and ask you to notify the company's officers that they will be held liable for countenancing any such transaction. We understand that Mr. Christie, inspector of the agencies for the South American Spanish speaking countries, also is active in the same direction."

TO THE LADIES!

I have just taken the sole agency for La Crosse, for that remarkable perfume, "ALICE." It's ahead of anything I have ever seen in beauty of odor and lasting quality. Ask to see it when at my store. It comes high, but it's worth it. I sell it at

\$2.00 the ounce.
CHAS. BEYSCHLAG,
DRUGGIST, 503 Main.

JOHN A. REESE, M. D.
HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
OFFICE HOURS:
9 to 11:30 A. M. 2 to 4 & 7 to 8 P. M.
Room in Beck Block, 107 N. 4th St.
Calls Answered at All Hours,
New Phone 890A

Dr. J. F. Thompson

DENTIST
Room 1, Barron Building
New Phone 192-3 Old Phone 73-3
La Crosse, Wisconsin

ICED POSTUM

with lemon and cream.

A delicious and sustaining hot weather food drink—and

"There's a Reason"

AT PRIMARIES VOTER CAN- NOT SPLIT PARTY TICKETS

Only Straight Ticket can be Voted and Split will Invalidate Ballots

Voters might profitably devote a little time between now and Sept. 4, studying up the primary election law. Tuesday, Sept. 4, will test the primary law for the first time in this county. All the nominations will be made by the direct votes of the citizens.

Ballots for the vote will be furnished at the polls the same as at elections. Voters can only express their choice for the nominees of one party.

Voters upon entering the primary booths will be handed attached together ballots of all the parties having candidates for nomination. The voter can only vote the ballot of one party and cannot split the ballot, voting for a part of the candidates of one party and for a part of the candidates of another party.

Under the law to preserve the secrecy of the ballot, the voter deposits all of his ballots in the ballot boxes, but he can only mark his preference on one of them and should more than one of the ballots be marked it nullifies the vote thus cast in the primary, and renders it illegal. The voter thus must mark the ballot of the party for

whose candidates he desires to vote and leave the ballot of the other parties blank.

An attempt of a voter to split ballots will nullify his votes.

Thus a voter cannot vote for a candidate for county clerk on the democratic ticket and a candidate for register of deeds on the republican ticket. He can only vote the ticket and the party to which he belongs.

Attempt of voters outside a party to make the nominations for a party to which they do not belong and are not bound to vote for, and have no intention of voting for at the election, is in effect an effort to defeat the real and true purpose of a primary election law—that is, to give the rank and file of a party opportunity to choose its own nominees, unfettered by manipulation of any kind from forces that have ulterior purposes to accomplish in the production of nominations. Of course, if a republican desires to vote a part or whole of the democratic ticket, there is nothing to prevent, but he cannot vote for candidates of two different parties.

HONEST

(Continued from Page One.)

"In many ways," said the speaker, "Davidson and Hall were similar. Both were thoroughly honest and not given to the little tricks and shams of the accomplished politician. They worked together and with their bright minds and exceptionally keen perceptions and capacity found where the trouble with the people lay."

Hall and Davidson, said the speaker, introduced the sleeping car tax bill by which the sleeping car companies are still paying 4 per cent on their gross earnings. Davidson and Hall, he said, introduced the first railroad bill in 1895, but could muster only eighteen votes for it. Next year they determined to keep up their fight for the people and got only seven votes because, he said, the railroads had secured control of the assemblymen. Then Davidson was elected state treasurer, while Hall kept up the fight for the people and got twenty-six votes in the next legislature; in 1901 he secured only twenty-four. Then in 1903 La Follette appeared upon the scene with his famous anti-railroad message and pushed a railroad bill through the legislature.

"And now there is a scheme on," said the speaker, "to give one man all the credit for the railroad legislation. No one man should have the credit, and I should say that Davidson and Hall are the men responsible primarily for the railroad measures the people needed. At his first session La Follette mustered only thirty-six votes for the railroad bill. He then sent out 80,000 copies of his message and then the people rose up and no one could have stopped the passage of the bill, after the people demanded its passage."

The speaker said that the railways are at the bottom of all the ills in Wisconsin today. The railways have a monopoly by force of circumstances. All trusts, he said, exist by virtue of discrimination in their favor by the railroads.

In regard to Davidson being a weak

man, the speaker pointed out that he fought the railroads when he was practically all alone in the fight.

Hall died, the speaker said, and the people will build him a monument. Davidson is still here and the people now have an opportunity to repay him. The speaker said he was the logical candidate, a man of courage, that he had the quality of "stick-to-it-iveness" which would bring victory out of defeat and that he never compromised the people. The speaker was here greeted with applause.

"He is charged with being weak, vacillating and untrustworthy," said the speaker, "but we only point to his record."

Mr. Gilman thereupon read a list of bills supported by Mr. Davidson, showing that he had always been on the side of the people.

"I heard Mr. Lenroot recite what he stood for the other day," said Mr. Gilman, "and I could not help thinking he took it from Davidson's record. (Applause.) Davidson has shown himself to be trustworthy and I consider him qualified to conduct this state better than any man in the state, next to La Follette."

Mr. Gilman said that history discarded the claim that he was a candidate by accident, and that he came into office by his honest work, his constructive legislative ability. "He got there," said the speaker, "because he was the best man they had."

Mr. Gilman then read an editorial from the Free Press in 1902 commenting upon the ability of Mr. Davidson.

"James Davidson came to the front from the sheer force of his ability and from his unswerving honesty. Honesty is a quality too often overlooked in public office," said Mr. Gilman. "We should have honesty in the office of coroner, sheriff, county and state officers."

He declared, that though a merchant himself and that it was against his own interests as a merchant, Davidson voted against the exemption bill by which the merchants of the state sought to reduce the exemption of the working man that they might more easily collect back accounts.

"I would rather have this example," said the speaker, "than a hundred promises." (Applause.)

"Mr. Davidson is the logical candidate, and under the circumstances the people would not be doing right to refuse Governor Davidson a second term, when he is able, capable and deserving."

On account of the heat Mr. Gilman wound up his argument before he had intended to, but set forth the principal reasons why he believed the voters should give their votes to Davidson.

There were several ladies in the hall and a score of local politicians who listened with much interest to the address of the speaker.

BRICKLAYER IS AT LARGE WITH BROKEN SKULL

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Detective Conway reported to Magistrate Whitman, in the Harlem police court, that Frank Page, a bricklayer, had walked

out of the Harlem hospital this morning with a fractured skull, and in such condition that the hospital authorities had said he was "likely to die any minute."

There were two prisoners in connection with the case—Frank Nelson and Joseph Dugan—charged with assaulting Page, and both were held in \$2,000 bail for examination.

Page was walking on Fifth avenue, near One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, when Nelson and Dugan assaulted him, according to the police. The two assailants were arrested and an ambulance was summoned from Harlem hospital for Page. He refused, however, to be treated and walked away to a brickyard on East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

Two hours afterward he was found lying on the ground unconscious. An ambulance was again summoned from Harlem hospital and he was taken there. He was in a critical condition and remained unconscious until 1 o'clock, but shortly after that hour he got up and walked out of the hospital in spite of the protests of the doctors, who said afterward they had no right to detain him as he was a sane man, not a prisoner, and had signed a release.

The magistrate told the detectives to be sure to find the man with the broken skull.

ST. PAUL GOES DOWN

The Diamond Jo packet line steamer St. Paul went down the river at 4:15 this afternoon. A large amount of baggage was taken on. The boat had an exceptionally large number of passengers on this trip.

LAUNDRYMEN GROWING RICH

According to reports the hot weather means an increase of about 100 per cent in the number of collars sent to the laundry. The employees are forced to work nights in order to keep up with the rush.

FATHER OF MRS. CHANDLER DIES IN CHICAGO

A telegram was received yesterday by Mrs. A. B. Chandler that her father had passed away at the home of his daughter in Chicago. The cause of death was not stated in the message.

Three daughters survive, residing respectively in La Crosse, Minneapolis and Chicago, and three sons, all residents of Hurley, Wis.

Deceased was about 70 years of age and has for many years resided at Hurley, where interment will be made.

Big Fish Over- turns Boat

DELANO, Minn., Aug. 23.—Two well known citizens of this place, Mr. Bull and Mr. Holstrom, had a narrow escape from drowning in a peculiar accident which happened while they were fishing at French lake.

They were in a boat and Holstrom had successfully hooked a six-pound pike and was in the act of landing it. In the excitement incident to the big catch Holstrom stood up in the boat and in sitting down after the pike had been safely landed in the net, he missed the seat and went head-first into the lake. The commotion caused the skiff to turn turtle and Bull also went into the lake. Both were able to swim and managed to cling to the overturned boat until help reached them.

A queer thing about the accident was that when the tangled fishing tackle was pulled up the pike was still fastened securely to the hook. It was brought home and will be mounted as a souvenir of the adventure.

Children and Manners.

Did you ever stop to think that children, as a rule, know each other far better than their parents and teachers do? Boys and girls show their real characters at play, when they have not the restraint of the presence of their elders or any incentive to appear at their best. So when you tell your boy you wish he would be as gentlemanly and polite as Harry Lee you view-point is that of Harry's conduct in your house when he comes on an errand or to play with your boy. Your son knows him as he is when off guard on the playground—selfish, rude, sly, perhaps—and he resents being asked to copy such a character, says a writer in the Mother's Magazine. Quite likely your boy has on his company manners too, when away to an extent you would hardly believe. Children have pride in their behavior, and it is an old saying, well proved, that they often behave better when their parents are not around.

DRAW JURY FOR SEPTEMBER TERM

The September term of the United States circuit court will be called Sept. 24 at 11 a. m.

The jury will be drawn tomorrow. There are a number of cases on the docket of unusual interest.

HEARST MAKES AT- TACK ON BOTH PARTIES

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—William Randolph Hearst left on Monday for New York after several days spent in Illinois. Before he left he gave out the following statement:

"I am concerned in the situation in Chicago because I have interests here and because I have publications that I endeavor to conduct for the best welfare of the people who support them."

"I find the political situation exceedingly serious. It is one typical of the times and characteristic of the country. The machines of both parties are in the hands of men who make of politics a profitable business, and these men always nominate candidates who, if successful, will be useful to them in their business."

"Such men are naturally unfit to represent the people and unworthy of the people's support. The question then arises whether the people will support unworthy men and will continue to submit to the machine, or whether they will take steps to assert their independence and protect their political rights."

"The situation here is similar to the one that existed in New York last fall and is similar to other conditions in other cities throughout the nation, for it has become an accepted principle in the business of graft that bidders of both parties shall join hands against the honest rank and file in both parties."

"There seems to me but one thing for the rank and file to do, and that is to step out from under the shadow of these machines and make common cause against the bidders, their enemies. That is what we did in New York and what we did there must be done in other localities."

"There is no other way to attack these evils successfully. Submission merely aggravates the evil. With no third ticket in the field the bidders are bound to win. The man who votes either ticket plays into their hands equally well. If either of the machines wins the system of graft wins. Our movement in New York in the last campaign certainly showing what could be done in uniting the people against the bosses and against the corporations."

MINNEAPOLIS LEADS CHICAGO IN DI- VORCES

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 23.—With a population one-tenth as large as Chicago, it is estimated Minneapolis has granted in the last twenty-one years one-eighth as many divorces as Chicago. The exact figures, as near as can be placed, are: Chicago, 40,000; Minneapolis, 5,000. Such is the estimate of Clifford Jermaine, who is the government's representative in this city securing statistics as to the number of divorces granted during the last twenty years.

"One peculiar thing," he said, "about the work here is that there are five grounds on which one may secure a divorce, while in Washington or anywhere in the District of Columbia there is only one—infidelity. It is therefore five times easier to secure a separation in this state than in Washington."

A census of divorce cases and matter pertaining to them is in progress all over the country, but started only this week in Minneapolis.

W. W. West returned last evening from Monroe, Wis., where he, with his wife and children, have been visiting relatives. Mrs. West will continue her visit longer before returning home.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It is easy to see good in a man who is in position to do you a favor.

If somebody has to be miserable we'd much prefer that it should be the people we don't like.



The Big Dipper should come in handy if the man in the moon wanted to take a drink out of the Milky Way.

Most men would like to do as their wives want them to do if it weren't so much trouble.

Children shouldn't be expected to act like grownups when grownups act like children.

Sometimes home is where the mortgage is.

Impulse is no saner a guide than prejudice.

People who have their eyes on results aren't always solicitous as to the means.

A mean disposition is one that doesn't harmonize with your own.

Insomnia is cured by going to sleep.

Lazy men were probably created that energetic people might feel virtuous when they see a lazy man.

She is a wise girl who knows that a man who knows how to make a living is a more desirable acquaintance than one who only knows how to dance.

The Summer Excursion.

Helgeløf!

Didst ever go

On a summer excursion?

Of course.

You don't have to answer

If you don't want to.

Under our grand old

Constitution

No man is obliged

To testify against himself.

Still

It is nothing

To be ashamed of.

Other men have bit

At the game.

So you have no occasion

To feel lonesome.

It looks alluring

Enough

In the advertisement—

A ride on a swell train

For about a hundred miles

More or less

And back

For one plunk.

Not a word is said

About extra charge

If you have to stand up

All the way.

You start off gayly

With a light heart

And a lunch basket.

By the time you get

To the train

All of the choice seats

Are taken.

And you are lucky

If you get one

On the sunny side.

Soon the man comes along

Who didn't forget

To bring his family.

Babies eating lunch all over you

Is only one of the pleasant incidents

Of the trip.

You know the rest, and I don't

blame you

For not owing up that once upon

a time

You went along.

Two of a Kind.

"I like this cigar. It is a free smoker."

"Must be like my husband," observed the lady who had overheard. "He is a great man to smoke when the cigars are free."

Minnesota-wad.

"He is trying the Swedish movement for his rheumatism."

"Swedish movement? What's that?"

"Oh, it must be toward the west."

Politics For Beginners.

"Willie, how many parties are there in this country?"

"I don't know. There are ten parties on our telephone line."

Proving It.

"Jack is a true patriot."

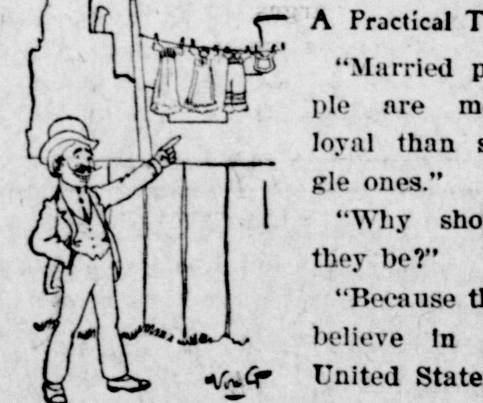
"Fight for his country?"

"No, but he popped the question on the Fourth of July."

Biding His Time.

"It is a shame the way she abuses him. I wonder he would stand for it."

"He has to; they are not married yet."



A Practical Test.

"Married people are more loyal than single ones."

"Why should they be?"

"Because they believe in the United States."

Could Tolerate Him.

"I do hate a quitter. Don't you?"

"Yes, unless he has me down and is hammering my head."

North Side News

Branch Office 532 Mill Street

Old Phone 9124

H. W. SINGER, Mgr.

NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH LOADING ICE IN A CAR

Switch Engine "Bumps" Freight Cars Against Ice Car and Youths are Buried in Jumble of Cakes

Michael Enders, 717 Wall street, and I. Robinson, a young man who recently came here from Dubuque, had a narrow escape from being crushed to death yesterday afternoon at the corner of Sumner and St. Andrew streets when a car in which they were loading ice was "bumped."

The walls of ice which were piled on either side of them "telescoped" and almost hid them from view of their fellow employees who took the heavy cakes of ice off them as soon as possible and rescued them from their perilous position.

In loading another car, the one which had just been loaded had to be moved just far enough so that

when the switch engine backed a train of flat cars up the adjoining track, it was struck.

A horse which was hitched to a rope, and was pulling ice into the car, was given such a jerk by the tension on the rope that he was thrown backward through the corner of a shed, breaking several boards and tearing away a beam which supported it.

Both of the men were badly bruised and were unable to resume their duties.

Mr. Enders seems to have been hurt the worst, however, and thought hurt the worst, however, and thought

Action for damages may be brought against the company.

NORTH SIDE GETS ANOTHER CARNIVAL

On next Monday the North side will again be the scene of excitement. A street carnival is to be given by the Seaman Amusement company the entire week.

The company is now showing at Sparta. On account of the success of the last carnival the business men became enthusiastic some time ago and started plans for another one.

Arrangements were closed yesterday with Advance Agent Hamilton.

The carnival has seven paid attractions and a number of good free shows. The tents will occupy practically the same space as last year except that Hagar street will be vacant. The merry-go-round will be located at the same place, on Osweiler's corner and the paid shows will be on Rose street, with the free ones wherever most convenient.

At a meeting held last evening in the Thompson's office the following officers who will be in charge of the carnival, were elected:

President—L. E. Lavaque.

Secretary—C. P. Thompson.

Treasurer—Joseph P. Gohres.

Directors—C. F. Figgie, Henry P. Lawson and Frank Geisenheimer.

PICNIC PARTY

The picnic given at Myrick park yesterday by Mesdames C. C. Looney and George B. Marvin, was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mitchell, who are here for a few days' visit with relatives and friends. All enjoyed the afternoon very much.

GO TO DAKOTA

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Witte of 802 Avon street will leave today for their new home at Enderlin, N. D., where Mr. Witte has purchased a large piece of land. Mr. Witte has accepted a position on the Soo line which passes through his place.

WARDEN WILL SELL KABAT'S MURDER CONFESSION

APPLETON, Wis., Aug. 23.—George Altmeyer, who acted as a guard in the county jail when Wenzel Kabat, convicted murderer, was imprisoned there, claims that Kabat has written a complete confession of the murder of Michael McCarthy.

Altmeyer states that he has just returned from Waupun where he visited Kabat and obtained the manuscript of a history of his life, in which is given complete details of the horrible crime of which he was found guilty.

Altmeyer refuses to show the confession or to tell any of the details of the crime which were lacking at the trial of the case. He states that it is his intention to have the story copyrighted, and that by agreement with Kabat he is to have it published in



Is The

NEBUER GINGER ALE

A beverage at once refreshing and healthful. Call for it. It is for sale everywhere. It has snap and life in it, and a drink of it imparts the same qualities to you.

Try It!

NORTH SIDE BOTTLING WKS.

901 ROSE STREET. BOTH PHONES

PHOTOGRAPHS

that are properly finished, last always and keep their lustre.

That's the Kind You Get At

PRYOR'S

121 N. Fourth St.

Only a paper which can give the largest publicity to your want is adequately "advertising" that want. Tribune want ads. bring results.

TRIBUNE WANTS

One cent a word first insertion and one-half

cent for all subsequent insertions. : : : : :

No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girls to run sewing machines. Steady employment. La Crosse Clothing company, Second and State streets.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; three in family. Apply 217 South Fifteenth street.

WANTED—Ten girls; pleasant work; good wages. Apply Wisconsin Pearl Button company.

WANTED—Marker or girl to learn marking at Reliable Steam laundry. 117-119 North Sixth.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 109 South Fourteenth street.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

WANTED—Clerk, dining room girl and chambermaid at Hotel Law.

WANTED—A girl at Eagle hotel at once. 120 South Fifth street.

WANTED—Girls at Tisch Brothers company cigar box factory.

WANTED—First class dining room girls at the Cafe.

WANTED—Girl, at 2113 Loomis street.

FOR SALE

LOTS FOR SALE—We have a number of fine building lots, near good improvements, and lying near the prospective street car extensions, on Market and Main streets, which we will sell at very low prices, and easy terms. Drs. Powell & Powell.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Five-room all modern cottage. Built of cement blocks. Will be completed in ten days. Sixteenth and Winnebago. Old phone 2201.

FOR SALE—Grocery store and saloon; good trade. One of the best locations in the city. Fine chance for the right party. For particulars write Tribune office. Box 4.

FARM for sale or rent—163 acres in good condition, seven miles from city. Call at August Law, 2235 Mormon Coulee road, city.

FOR SALE—Cadillac runabout for sale cheap. Call at Motor Car company.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Vacant lot, good residence part of La Crosse. Must be bargain. Address V., this office.

WILL BUY or trade for land or small farm near city. J. S.

FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN Co., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Ten positions for every graduate. Top wages paid. Few weeks completes. Course includes tools and diplomas. Can nearly earn expenses if desired. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

A GOOD SALESMAN who is willing to hustle and is also a good collector, will do well to write R. Emmet Jones, Gen. Del. Position pays \$123 per month.

WANTED—Cornice makers at once at Badger Steel Roofing & Corrugating company, Seventh and La Crosse streets.

WANTED—A good butcher for cutting meat and back room work. D. Jehlen, Jr. City market.

WANTED—Boys from 16 years and up, at La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—First class cabinet maker. Vought-Berger company.

WANTED—Teamsters at Gateway City Transfer.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A fine eight-room house with all modern improvements between Main and King on Eleventh street. Inquire 137 South Eleventh street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

FOR RENT—Eleven-room house suitable for two families. 823 South Sixth street.

THE MARKETS

LA CROSSE WHOLESALE.

Poultry.

Chickens—Old, 7@8c; spring, 10@12c.

Turkeys—12@17c.

Ducks—9 to 10c.

Geese—8c.

Pigeons—90c a dozen.

Butter and Eggs.

No. 1 dairy—20c.

Roll butter—48c.

Creamery butter—23@25c.

Eggs—15@17c.

Fruit

California Lemons—\$6.50.

Bananas—Per bunch, \$1.75@2.50.

Oranges—Med'n sweets and seedings—\$3@5.

California Peaches—Box, \$1.25.

Plums—Crate, \$1.75@2.25.

Tex. Elberta Peaches—Crate, \$1.25.

Blueberries—Crate, \$1.75.

Muskellons—Basket, 90c.

Cal. Bartlett Pears—Box, \$3.

Cal. Plums—Crate, \$1.75@2.

Cucumbers—Bushel, \$1.20.

Tomatoes—Crate 60@70c.

Apples—Cooking, barrel, \$1.75.
Cal. Grapes—\$1.50.
Cal. Pears—\$2.50.
Apples—Eating, barrel, \$2.50.
Verdilla Lemons—65c.

Grain.

Wheat—65@60c.

Barley—Bushel, 35@38c.

Corn—42@45c.

Rye 45@50c.

Oats—Bushel, 30c.

Mill feed.

Bran—Per ton, \$16.

Shorts—Per ton, \$17.

White Middlings—Per ton, \$18.

Red Dog—Per ton, \$20.

Provisions.

Lard—10@10 1/2c.

Hams—13 1/2@13 3/4c.

Bacon—11 1/2@12 1/2c.

Shoulders—10c.

Picnic Hams—9 1/2c.

Dry Beef—14@16c.

Flour.

Flour—Patent, per barrel, \$4;

straight, per barrel, \$3.80.

Cheese.

(By Henry Andregg.)

Cream Twins—12 1/2@13c.

Brick—11 1/2@12c.

Swiss Block—15c.

German Hand Cheese—per box 90c.

Limburger—11 1/2@12c.

Daisies—13c.

Swiss Round—15c.

Livestock.

Hogs—\$5.75@6.15.

Cattle—Steers, \$3@3.50; heifers,

\$2.50@3.

Sheep—\$3@4.

Lambs—\$4@5.

LA CROSSE RETAIL.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 9c.

Butter—Dairy, 22c; creamery, 25c.

Oranges—Dozen, 35@50c.

Lemons—Dozen, 30c.

Bananas—Dozen, 20c.

Grapefruit—Each, 12 1/2@20c.

Cherries—Pound, 25c.

Pie Cherries—Quart, 15c.

Gooseberries—Quart, 12 1/2@15c.

Blueberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.

Black Raspberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.

Red Raspberries—Quart, 15c.

Lemons—Dozen, 30c.

Plums—Dozen, 10, 15 and 20c.

Cucumbers—7c.

Tomatoes—Pound, 7@10c.

Wax Beans—Pound, 7c.

Green Beans—Pound, 10c.

Vegetables.

Rockford Melons—8@10c.

Head Lettuce—Bunch, 10c.

Celery—Bunch, 5c.

Cauliflower—Each, 10@15c.

Parsley—Bunch, 5c.

Cabbage—New, each, 5c.

Potatoes—New, peck, 15c; old,

bushel, \$1.

Carrots—Peck, 15c.

Beets—Peck, 20c.

Home Grown Peas—Peck, 30c.

Cocoanuts—Each, 5 to 10c.

Lettuce, home grown—2 bunches for 5c.

Onions, home grown—3 bunches, 5c.

Pie Plant—Three pounds, 5c.

Radishes, home grown—3 bunches or 5c.

Wax Beans—Peck, 30c.

Tomatoes—Pound, 7c.

Cucumbers—Two for 5c.

Summer Squash—5c.

Fish.

Pickrel, 5c; pike, 10c; white, 10c;

trout, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring 4 to 5c;

halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

City Market

Hay—New, per ton, \$7.50@8; wild,

\$5@6.

Straw—Per ton, \$5@6.

Hogs—Over 200 pounds, \$6; under

200 pounds, \$2.50@5.90.

Land Grabbers on the run

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 23.—As the result of recent investigations by District Attorney Rourke, it is stated that a number of quarter sections of valuable land in the Devils Lake land district will be thrown open for homestead entry.

For some time the district attorney has been investigating charges of fraud made against persons holding valuable claims in the Devil's Lake land district, and recently he has secured evidence of such a nature that it is not believed persons against whom charges are made will make an appearance when the time comes for a hearing. In that event, their patents to the land will be canceled and the land will revert back to the government.

The fact that the district attorney was about to proceed against the persons against whom fraud had been charged has been suspected for some time, and it is reported that a large number of persons are preparing to take advantage of the opportunity offered to secure valuable claims.

Every day some things often things of real importance, may be learned only through reading the ads.

Railroad Notices

Excursion Tickets to Ashland, Wis., Via the North-Western line, will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 21 to 24, inclusive, limited to return until Aug. 27, inclusive, on account of State League of Municipalities. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Chattanooga, Tenn., Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 15 to 17, inclusive with favorable return limits, on account of Regimental Reunion, Anniversary Battle of Chickamauga. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Via the North-Western Line. An excursion rate of one regular first-class limited fare for round trip, will be in effect from all stations Sept. 3 to 14, inclusive, with favorable return limits, an account of national Baptist convention. Three fast trains through to California daily. "The Overland Limited," electric lighted throughout, less

than three days to San Francisco. "The Los Angeles Limited," electric lighted throughout, via the new Salt Lake route to Los Angeles, with drawing-room and tourist sleeping cars. Another fast daily train is "The China and Japan Fast Mail" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco and Los Angeles. For itineraries and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Half Rates to Mexico City, Mex., Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, Aug. 15 to Sept. 1, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of International Geological congress. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

EXCURSIONS.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell excursion tickets for the following events at very low rates:

For Pacific coast and intermediate points, sell June 1st to Sept. 15th.

For Denver, Colorado Springs and Ogden, Utah, sell June 1st to Sept. 30th.

For Canadian and New England points, dates in July, August and Sept.

For rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

Half Rates to Minnesota State Fair at Hamline (St. Paul and Minneapolis) Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, Sept. 1 to 8 inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 10, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Toronto, Ont., Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 12 to 15, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of I. O. O. F. grand lodge. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Woodstock, Ill., Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 27 to 31, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 1, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Boise City, Idaho, Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1, with favorable return limits, on account of national irrigation congress. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Excursion Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Via the North-Western Line, will be in effect from all stations, Sept. 19 to 22, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of Pike's Peak centennial celebration. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Excursion Tickets to Fair and Races at Elroy, Wis., Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 27 to 31, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 1, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Half Rates to Wisconsin State Fair at Milwaukee, Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, Sept. 8 to 14, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 15, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Half Rates to Southern Minnesota Agricultural and Industrial Fair at Winona Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, Sept. 10 to 14, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 15, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

\$25

From St. Paul, Minn., to

North Pacific Coast Points

Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, 1906

CORRESPONDINGLY LOW RATE FROM YOUR STATION

Tar opportunity of the year to go West on Low One-way Colonist Excursion Rates, applying to Montana, Idaho, Washington, and Oregon. Secure a farm in the great irrigated districts, where the yield is enormous and crops are independent of rainfall.

Three Transcontinental Trains in each direction daily. Large 18-section Pullman tourist sleeping cars. Stopovers west of Billings, Mont., except between Logan and Garrison, inclusive. Write C. W. MOIT, G. E. A., St. Paul, Minn., for information about land, etc. For details of rates and train service write

C. L. TOWNSEND, District Passenger Agent,
4th and Broadway, St. Paul, Minn.

To Helena and Butte \$20; Spokane and Ellensburg, \$22.50; Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Ashland, Ore., and Astoria, Ore., \$25.



Northern Pacific Railway

St. Paul and Minneapolis to the Pacific Northwest

A. M. CLELAND,
General Passenger Agent,
St. Paul, Minn.

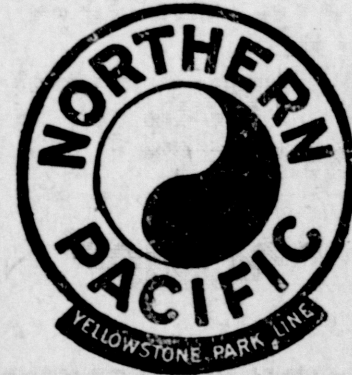
Pacific Northwest TOURS

From St. Paul or Minneapolis. Chicago, St. Louis—Very low round trip rates until Sept. 15—to Spokane to the beautiful Puget Sound Country and the Columbia River Region. There is no more pleasant Fall Outing Journey.

TOUR YELLOWSTONE PARK

as a Side trip from Livingston, Mont. It's a Region of Crowning Scenic Glories, offering the Greatest of Nature's Wonderful Phenomena.

EVERY MILE OF THE JOURNEY IS AN EDUCATION. IT'S WORTH YOUR WHILE.



For full information write
C. L. TOWNSEND,
District Passenger Agent,
4th & Broadway, St. Paul, Minn.

Railroad Time Tables

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	2:35 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 11:05 p.m. 12:40 a.m. 5:55 p.m.	3:10 a.m. 7:05 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 5:25 p.m.
Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis	3:20 a.m. 7:15 a.m. 10:55 a.m. 5:35 p.m.	2:30 a.m. 12:35 a.m. 3:50 p.m. 11:00 p.m. 12:25 p.m.

Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	a 12:01 p.m. a 3:50 p.m.	a 11:20 a.m. a 4:55 p.m.
-------------------------------------	-----------------------------	-----------------------------

Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:30 a.m. c 7:20 p.m.	a 11:20 p.m. a 3:45 p.m.
-----------------------------	-----------------------------	-----------------------------

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

For Winona, Albia, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnetka and West	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon
---	-------------------------------------	--

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 8:00 a m a 12:35 p m b 10:40 p m	b 5:30 a m a 12:15 p m a 5:30 p m
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna	b 5:30 a m a 12:15 p m a 5:30 p m	a 8:00 a m a 12:35 p m b 10:40 p m

LA CROSSE STEPS INTO FIRST AGAIN

LA CROSSE DEFEATS EAU CLAIRE; FREEPORT LOSES

Teams' Standings		
	Won.	Lost.
La Crosse	60	33
Freeport	58	33
Oshkosh	44	48
Green Bay	44	48
Wausau	37	57
Eau Claire	35	59

Results Yesterday
La Crosse, 1; Eau Claire, 0.
Wausau, 1; Freeport, 0.
Green Bay, 12-3; Oshkosh, 5-0.

Games Today
Eau Claire at La Crosse.
Freeport at Wausau.
Oshkosh at Green Bay.

La Crosse won yesterday from Eau Claire team in a great game of ball. George was invincible in the box and scored his sixth consecutive victory. Eberly for Eau Claire pitched a first class game.

Killian's base throwing was a feature of the game.

Summary:		
	ABR	H
La Crosse—	ABR	H
Vogt, ss	1	1
Bond, 3b	0	1
Medwytzky, lf	0	1
Konechky, 1b	0	10
Cahill, cf	0	1
Tucker, rf	0	1
Klock, 2b	0	1
Killian, c	0	1
George, p	0	1

Totals		
	ABR	H
La Crosse—	ABR	H
Baker, 3b	0	1
Head, 2b	0	2
Jones, rf	0	0
McCauley, ss	0	1
Bailey, cf	0	2
Ramsey, 1b	0	11
Goldsmith, lf	0	1
Karnell, c	0	6
Eberly, p	0	1

Totals		
	ABR	H
La Crosse—	ABR	H
Eau Claire	0	0

Summary—Two base hits, Cahill, George—Sacrifice hit, George—Double play, Killian to Konechky—Struck out, by George 6, by Eberly 5—Bases on balls, off George 2—Time of game, 1:15—Umpire, Pickett—Attendance, 550.

Wausau, 1; Freeport, 0
WAUSAU, Wis., Aug. 23.—Wausau played all around Freeport here yesterday and shut them out. The field was muddy, but both sides played good ball. Score: R. H. E.
Freeport.....00000000—0 4 1
Wausau.....00010000—1 6 0
Batteries—Flynn and Erickson; Lang and Troch.
Green Bay, 12-3; Oshkosh, 5-0
OSHKOSH, Wis., Aug. 23.—Green

CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff her life long, accompanied by falling hair, too. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newbro's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

O. T. ERHART, Special Agent.

Bay won both games of a double-header yesterday. Stremmel pitched both games. Scores:
First game— R. H. E.
Oshkosh.....101010020—5 11 6
Green Bay.....000700401—12 9 2
Batteries—Mohr, Botsford and Dolan; Stremmel and Hart.
Second game— R. H. E.
Oshkosh.....000000000—0 7 2
Green Bay.....010200000—3 8 0
Batteries—Kerr and Moore; Stremmel and Hart.

BRYAN'S DAUGHTER WRITES PLAYLET

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—William J. Bryan's daughter, Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, has written a playlet entitled, "Mrs. S. Holmes, Detective," which is to be presented this week at Keith & Proctor's Union Square theater by Maud Turner Gordon and company. Bryan has promised his daughter that one of the first things he will do after reaching New York will be to see the play. It is expected that he will be on hand Friday evening, Aug. 31.

Mrs. Leavitt, in writing last week to Miss Gordon, said: "I have just had a letter from father. He is tremendously interested in the play, and hopes it will prove successful and bring credit to the name of Bryan. You know he has not entirely lost his personal interest in the stage, even though his own career on it was a brief, though not altogether unimportant, one."

CROWE FOOLS DETECTIVES

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Pat Crowe, former bandit, kidnaper and holdup man, yesterday investigated the abandonment of a wagon carrying \$40,000 in bank bills and specie by the messenger, who became involved in a quarrel with the driver of an express wagon, and reached the conclusion that "New York was about the easiest town on the map to separate a man from his money."

Tonight Pat was introduced to three detectives in the Hotel Metropole. They did not recognize him, although his picture had been printed in thousands of newspapers and is in every rogues' gallery in the United States. He was invited to visit police headquarters and was there charged with being a suspicious person. The charge could not be sustained and after an hour's detention Crowe was released with what amounted to an apology.

CARRY AWAY HEAVY SAFE; GET BUT THREE HUNDRED

CROOKSTON, Minn., Aug. 23.—After carting a 400-pound safe out of Andrew Wygaard's confectionery store last night, robbers hauled the strong box to a refrigerator car, where they covered it with straw to deaden the noise and then dynamited the safe. They secured \$300, and escaped on a stolen railroad gasoline speeder, which was found abandoned today.

When the store was opened today a clerk discovered that the safe was missing and search revealed its presence in the refrigerator car.

According to the police, who have been unable to find a positive clue to the identity of the criminals, the robbers probably were members of an organized gang that has been operating in this vicinity for weeks. That the robbers worked with deliberation and along lines previously mapped out is apparent. The police say they expect to uncover the trail of the fugitives tomorrow.

The stolen money was practically all in bank bills, lacking numbers. Included in the loot was about \$78 belonging to a local lodge.

Yesterday two men, who are now suspected of having a hand in the crime, visited the store several different times. One was tall, fair, and of heavy build. The other was smaller, his complexion was sandy, and he wore a short beard.

Mother and Son Bitten by Dog

LITTLE FALLS, Minn., Aug. 23.—Wallace Foster, the 11-year-old son of C. Foster of this city, residing on the west side, was badly bitten by a dog Saturday evening. The dog belonged to Mrs. Sophie Paterson, living in front of the Foster home.

The Fosters had been in the habit of obtaining their drinking water from the Johnson pump and the boy was sent into the Paterson yard to get a bucket of water, when the dog, who was eating near by, suddenly sprang at him without any warning whatever, knocking him off his feet, and then fastened his teeth in the lad's forearm, tearing it considerably.

Mrs. Foster, hearing the lad scream, ran to his assistance and tried to pull the dog off, but was severely bitten in the wrist for her pains. The boy tried to break loose and the dog loosened his hold on the mother and seized the boy by the thigh again. This time Mrs. Foster, calling all the time for help, grasped the dog's ears and began to twist them. Mrs. Paterson then came up with a club and drove the dog off.

From last reports both victims are doing well. The dog was soon shot by Patrolman Le Blanc.

Aeroplanes are easy, they say

FRANKLIN, Pa., Aug. 23.—"With an aeroplane, which Dr. Julian P. Thomas of New York and myself have hit upon, a person will be able to fly from here to Pittsburg and return with ease," said Maj. Charles J. S. Miller today. "We expect to attain a speed of forty-five miles an hour or better," he added.

For some time the two men have been at work on an aeroplane and recently they met and compared results. Then they experimented together, and the result is a flying machine which Miller says he's satisfied is the aeroplane that inventors, for many years, have been trying to perfect.

Miller says the aeroplane is simply an airship without the balloon, the cushions of the airship being used for support, and he claims that one can be constructed large enough to carry an engine sufficient to take a person a thousand miles. He would give no

DECORATIONS

SPECIAL DESIGNS FOR Churches, Public Buildings and Residences. Painting, Hardwood Finishing Foreign and Domestic

Wall Paper

Jap Leathers, Fabrics
ODIN J. OYEN,
La Crosse, Wis.

details of the construction, except that it is so built that it will not tip while in the air.

NEGRO AT BAY

CARTERVILLE, Ill., Aug. 23.—Surrounded by a posse of men and two bloodhounds, John Drew, a negro accused of killing four persons at Cambon recently, is at bay with a companion in a cabin near Johnson City, ten miles northeast of here.

Drew is heavily armed and has declared that he will not be taken alive. Two men with the bloodhounds trailed the fugitives to a log house and then sent for reinforcements.

CELEBRATE IN HONOR OF MEMORY OF MARQUETTE

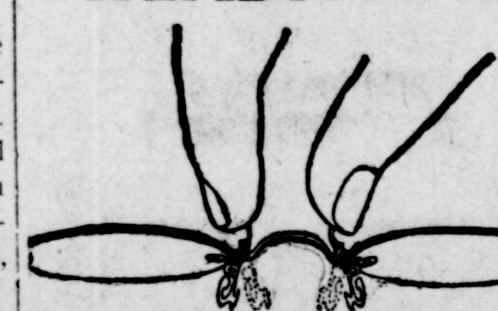
MARQUETTE, Mich., Aug. 23.—With Vice President Fairbanks, Justice William A. Day of the United States supreme court, Archbishops Ireland of St. Paul and Messmer of Milwaukee and other prominent personalities among the speakers, a unique celebration has been arranged for today at St. Ignace. Townspeople and resorters at Mackinac island will unite in honoring the memory and achievements of Pere Marquette, the pioneer missionary and explorer, in whose honor this city was named.

A typical Indian village is built along the lake shore, and members of the different tribes in the neighborhood of St. Ignace will assemble there for a council of war and pow-wow. At the village Indian life may be viewed under much the same conditions as it was found years ago, when the Indians were the monarchs of all the territory now embraced in the Lake Superior region. The Indians will be robed in their savage splendor, and ghost dances, canoe races, Indian songs and games will be given at frequent intervals. A most interesting feature will be a pageant by the entire village through the streets of St. Ignace headed by old Chief Santiago, now said to be some 103 years of age. The Indians will visit the grave of Father Marquette, where, chanting their death songs, they will pass in single file before the tomb, pausing long enough to kneel and lay the pipe of peace upon the grave.

There will also be enacted the landing of Pere Marquette, in 1671, on the shores where now stands St. Ignace. He will be represented as approaching the shores in a birchbark canoe, and will be greeted by the entire Indian village. The party then will visit the mission church, a facsimile of the



COPYRIGHT
EYE-STRAIN CAUSES HEADACHE



Let me fit a pair for you. My eyeglasses will stay on.
H. C. EVENSON
Eye-Sight Specialist
Made good for Governor Johnson
PARK STORE

TEXAS DEPUTY IN CHICAGO MAKES NEGRO DANCE

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—Whit M. Adams, a deputy sheriff from Waco, Tex., attempted to introduce some Texas "gun" tactics in Chicago Monday night, and was locked up.

Adams entered a saloon at Hubbard court and Wabash avenue at 11:30. About the first thing he noticed was the presence of Henry Berger, a colored bootblack.

The idea struck Adams that it would be in accordance with things in Texas if the colored person would dance a jig for the edification of the barroom. He requested Berger to do so, but the latter declined the honor with thanks.

At this Adams reached for his revolver. It was a 44-caliber affair, vicious looking enough for even Texas. "Now you dance, you niggah," he said to the bootblack, whose eyes rolled in terror as the Texan flourished the weapon in the vicinity of his feet. About a second after this Deputy Whit began shooting holes in the floor and the negro danced.

Detectives Quinlan, who heard the shots, put a stop to the proceeding and accompanied Adams to Harrison street station, where he exhibited papers showing he was a sure enough Texas deputy.

FRIDAY BARGAINS

McGrew Corsets	Well made, perfect shape, each.....	50c
Tray Cloths	All linen hemstitched Damask tray cloths, each.....	21c
Hand Bags	Ladies' leather hand bags, worth up to 35c, each.....	15c
Belts	Ladies' Silk Belts in black and colors, worth up to 50c, at each.....	15c
Towels	All linen hemstitched huck towels, 25c value, at.....	15c
Ladies' Vests	A sale of summer underwear, a great reduced price 25c value.....	15c
Dress Shields	Odorless dress shields all sizes, at pair.....	5c
Gent's Umbrellas	26 and 28 inch self opening umbrellas, \$1.25 value at.....	85c

Poehling's

Cor. 4th and Main. All Cars Start and stop at this store

THE NERNST

is far superior to any other light.

You can see them in many progressive stores about town.

The NERNST cost little to burn and is a perfectly steady light.

Have them installed at once and reduce your light bills.

Call us up.
Both Phones 271.

WISCONSIN Light and Power Co.
318 Main St.

Gillette Safety Razor

NO STROPPING, NO HONING.
Set consists of 12 double-edged blades (24 keen cutting edges) with triple silver-plated holder in velvet lined case. Each blade good for an average of more than 20 satisfying shaves. Handle and blade guaranteed to be perfect in material and workmanship. Inquire about SPECIAL FREE TRIAL OFFER.
Gillette Sales Company, 21 Times Building, New York City.

THE ELLIOTT-LOEFFLER COMPANY.
Wholesale **WINES & LIQUORS**
222-224 PEARL STREET.

HUNTER'S SUPPLIES

Hunters' Coats
at \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00

Caps, Shell Belts, Blank Shells and Loaded Shells, and everything Hunters want.

Examine our stock of

Fire Arms

Fred Kroner Hardware Co.
116-118 SOUTH THIRD STREET